

SWEETHEARTS LOST ON THE SOUND ARE STILL UNHEARD OF

Now Believed That Denike and Fiancee Perished After Striking Steamer

FATHERS OF MISSING ONES LEAD SEARCHERS Theory Advanced That Couples Craft Was Caught in a Sudden Calm

NEW YORK, July 28.—Several hundred persons in all kinds of craft were scouring Long Island sound yesterday in search of Miss Lillian Sawin and Lorimer Denike, of Mount Vernon. The young couple, sweethearts for years, favorites in society, left New Rochelle in Mr. Denike's 22-foot knockabout boat, the Jigger, at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

MINORITY REPORT ON COTTON TARIFF BY SERENOE. PAYNE

Author of Tariff Bill Now in Effect Opposes Democrats' Cotton Views

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Debate on the democratic cotton schedule revision bill was begun in the house today by Representative Underwood, of Alabama, chairman of the ways and means committee, which prepared the bill. No date was fixed for closing debate on the measure, although it is believed it will end Wednesday with a vote on the day following. The minority report was presented today by Representative Payne, of New York, leading minority member of the ways and means committee. It expresses opposition to the bill "because it does not furnish protective duties for a great American industry, and it is frankly admitted that it is not intended to do so."

BROADER TARIFF REVISION GAINING GROUND RAPIDLY

Fight of Democratic-Progressive Republican Coalition Bearing Fruit PRESIDENT MAY HAVE TO USE VETO POWER If Present Progress is Carried Adjourment Predicted Middle of August

WASHINGTON, July 28.—The fight of the democratic "progressive" republican coalition for broader tariff revision gained ground today and it was confidently predicted in both houses that a conference created compromise would be the result. The cotton bill, with steel, sugar and other schedules, would be passed. Meantime the indications are stronger than ever that President Taft will exercise his veto power on tariff legislation prior to the submission of the tariff board report in December. The cotton bill will pass the house next Thursday probably. Democratic leaders asserted that if the present program is carried out there is nothing to prevent adjourment about the middle of August.



"SEEMED ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY TO SELL IT TO AVERT SERIOUS TROUBLE" One of Syndicate Owners of Tennessee Coal & Coke Co. So Declares Before Committee Investigating Methods of Alleged Steel Trust—Says no Utterior Motive Lurked Behind Taking Over of Big Concern

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CHARLOTTE HAS NO WATER, SITUATION GETTING SERIOUS

Less Than Day's Supply Remains in Reservoir and This Cut Off Indefinitely WATER TRAINS WILL BE RUN NEXT WEEK The Insurance Companies Announce a Refusal to Renew Any and All Fire Policies

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 28.—Long expected but for weeks averted by careful conservation, the forty thousand inhabitants of Charlotte today are experiencing a water famine with its attendant discomforts and dangers. The last drop of water was drained from the pond which has furnished the supply for years, and only 40,000 gallons, much less than a day's supply remain in the reservoir. This has been cut off from users indefinitely and in the meantime the people are dependent upon the meagre supply of various mineral water agencies.

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NAMES OF CANDIDATES IN THE CITIZEN'S BIG \$5,640 CONTEST PUBLISHED SUNDAY

List is Still Open and If Have Not Already Entered Now is the Accepted Time—Contest is Open to Both Sexes—Start Work Today and Win

The names of those who have entered The Citizen's big \$5,640 subscription contest will be published for the first time tomorrow. There is not a great number of entries and the list of candidates is far from full. Why not enter your name today and get an early start? A few hours' work will secure you enough votes to put your name at the top of the list. If you do not enter as a candidate pick out your favorite from the list and boost him or her to win one of the big prizes.

AUTHORITIES DETERMINED TO HOLD BEULAH BINFORD DISALLOW OFFER OF BAIL

Commonwealth's Attorney Decides Bond Be Raised to \$5,000.

RICHMOND, Va., July 28.—Plans to obtain the release from jail of Beulah Binford, held as a material witness for the commonwealth in the Beattie murder case, were blocked by the state's representative today. "A friend," whose identity is not disclosed, offered to furnish the one thousand dollars bond required of the woman, but the commonwealth's attorney decided that the bond be raised to \$5,000 or more if necessary. The authorities are determined under no circumstances to release the alleged affinity of Henry Beattie, accused by the coroner's jury of being the slayer of his wife. She is to be kept in jail until the trial and representatives of the prosecution are to be the only persons admitted to see her.

BOILER EXPLOSION KILLS YOUNG LADY

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 28.—Miss Tina Blackwelder is dead and her father, brother and sister are seriously injured as the result of a boiler explosion at the father's saw mill in Cabarrus county today. The girls were assisting at the mill when the explosion came without warning. All four were badly scalded and also injured by flying timbers. The sister, Miss Lenora, is expected to die.

SHOE LEATHER JUSTICE IS INVOKED BY THIS JUDGE

Saves County Expense of Trial by Kicking Pick-pocket Until He Howls

WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 28.—Punishing a pickpocket by kicking him until he howled for mercy, Alderman John F. Donohue, the Holston of Wilkes-Barre, this morning saved the county from the expense of a trial and the imprisonment of a thieving tramp.

TWO MORE ARE DEAD.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 28.—Jos. Warren and Oren Ford, two of the colored excursionists from Durham, were injured in the wreck at Hamlet yesterday, died in a local hospital today. Both men sustained such injuries that little hope of their recovery was entertained from the first. A special train tomorrow morning will carry 22 of the victims who suffered only minor injuries back to Durham.

EDWARD MORSE SHEPARD DEAD FROM PNEUMONIA

Was a Well Known New York Lawyer and Democratic Political Leader

LAKE GEORGE, N. Y., July 28.—Edward Morse Shepard, the well known New York lawyer and democratic political leader who had been ill since the contraction of a cold in New York on June 16, died at his summer home here at 6 o'clock tonight of pneumonia. The end came with the members of his family at the bedside. Mr. Shepard was reported yesterday to show marked improvement. A bad turn came during the night, however, and the patient sank gradually all day.

CANADIANS CARRIED OFF HONORS IN THE REGATTA

Win Three out of Six Events and Make Fine Showing in Other Events

SARATOGA, N. Y., July 28.—Canadian men carried off the honors in three of the six events in today's regatta of the National association of Amateur oarsmen, Saratoga like Boston captured two races and the other event went to Detroit. In the most exciting struggle of the day, all the races were rowed over a mile and a quarter straightaway course in a drizzling rain. The champion seniors single scull event, the future of the program, was won by B. Butler of Toronto, carrying the colors of the Argonaut Rowing club, after he had qualified as an entrant by winning the association senior scull race. Butler matched his skill and stamina against Sammie F. Gordon of the Vesper Boat club of Philadelphia and Fred Shepard of the Harlem Rowing club of New York. The Canadian finished nine lengths in the lead. Gordon was second, a length ahead of Shepard.

SENATORIAL ASPIRANTS THROW MUCH LIGHT ON POLITICS IN ILLINOIS

However Neither Throw Much Light on How Lofimer Won for Senator.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Two senatorial aspirants from Illinois, William E. Mason, a republican, and Lawrence W. Stringer, a democrat, were on the stand today before the Senator Lorimer committee. Neither threw much light on the methods by which Wm. Lorimer defeated them for the senatorial toga but each made valuable contributions to the story of how the political game is run in Illinois. In an optimistic way, former Senator "Billy" Mason told how the senatorial bee buzzed around him so long that he had developed a chronic case of senatorial ambition. Peasimistic and disheartened the democratic candidate for senator in Illinois in 1909, expressed the opinion that his party in Illinois lacked cohesive force generally.

Let Us Hear From You. This is a proposition in which the contestants take no chances. There is no expenditure involved. It isn't a case of social prestige; anyone may enter and anyone may win. It's just a simple problem of manifesting the proper energy and ambition to be properly rewarded. This is the time to enter. When the list of candidates

STEAMER DISABLED. NEW YORK, July 28.—The Clyde Line steamer Algonquin, from Jacksonville, was anchored off Ocean Grove, N. J., tonight in a disabled condition. The steamer was overhauled sending wireless messages to the vice president of the line, H. H. Raymond, who said that the ship had reported herself disabled because of a break in the steering gear, and desired that a boat be sent to her. One of the company's tugs was dispatched and it was said that the steamer probably would dock here in the morning.

FAIR WASHINGTON, July 28.—Forecast: North Carolina, fair Saturday, Sunday, increasing cloudiness, probably showers; light variable winds.

PRESIDENT NOT ELECTED. MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 28.—Owing to the absence of three members of the board, the trustees of the University of Alabama did not elect a president to succeed J. W. Abercrombie today. It is understood that the position will be tendered Chancellor Jas. H. Kirkland, of Vanderbilt university, at a salary of \$7,500 and a home. His election, it is stated, will take place at the next meeting of the board which will be held August 11.

Nominate a Candidate Nomination Blank—Good for 1,000 Votes. The Asheville Citizen \$5,640 Subscription Contest Candidate Address Telephone No. Only One Nomination Blank for Each Candidate Will Count as 1,000 Votes. Out out and bring or send to The Citizen.