

VON BUCK SERUM DISCUSSED ON THE U.S. SENATE FLOOR

Public Health Service Will Send Other Tuberculosis Experts to Asheville

INDIANA SENATOR WAS CURED HERE

Fayetteville Editor Endorsed for French Ambassadorship—Capital Gossip

(By George H. Manning.) WASHINGTON, May 27.—(Special)

The unanimous consent of the senate was secured by Senator Overman today for an investigation by the United States public health service...

It is quite probable that within a few days Surgeon General Blue will detail one or two surgeons to go to Asheville and make the investigation...

The navy department, under the direction of Secretary Daniels, has already made a preliminary investigation...

Gallinger Objects—Certainly. When Senator Overman offered his resolution today in the senate...

Senator Overman replied that he was aware of this danger, but that the Von Ruck cure possessed so much merit...

"If you have any doubt as to the merit of the Von Ruck treatment," said Senator Overman...

HEAVY FINES ARE GIVEN BY THE COURT AGAINST COASTER BREAK TRUST

Fines Aggregating Over \$80,000 Assessed by Federal Judge.

OTHER CASES UP.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 27.—

Fines aggregating \$81,500 were imposed tonight in United States district court by Judge John R. Hazel...

POSTMASTER AT CHARLOTTE

(Special)—President Woodrow Wilson sent to the United States today for confirmation the name of J. W. Woodruff to be postmaster at Charlotte.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—

President Wilson today nominated the following North Carolina postmasters, in addition to the Charlotte appointment:

Dunn, E. T. Lee. Clarkton, G. H. Currie. Elizabeth City, Andrew L. Pendleton.

Elkton, R. J. Lowell. Madison, W. T. Chambers. Harry A. Stubbs, James G. Starch, J. R. Robinson, W. A. James and W. H. Crawford...

George Bellamy, of Brunswick, Corporation Commissioner W. T. Lee, of Waverlyville, and Prof. D. F. Giles, of Marion, are visiting here.

PROTESTS FROM FOREIGN POWERS OVER NEW TARIFF

Situation Is Discussed Fully by President and Members of Cabinet

SENATOR SIMMONS TO CONFER WITH BRYAN

Several Nominations Were Sent to Senate Today for Confirmation

WASHINGTON, May 27.—President Wilson today sent to the senate the following nominations:

First assistant secretary of the interior, Andrius A. Jones, of Las Vegas, N. M. Commissioner of the general land office, Clay Tallman, of Nevada.

Assistant commissioner of the general land office, Charles M. Bruce, of Arizona. WASHINGTON, May 27.—Chairman Simmons, of the senate finance committee, will call at the state department tomorrow to discuss with Secretary Bryan...

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Complaints have been made that certain clauses of the Underwood bill would abrogate treaties with foreign countries. It was reported that the German ambassador would soon bring to Washington a protest against the provision which would grant a 5 per cent. discount in the tariff on imports in American-owned or controlled vessels.

President Is Willing. There have been intimations that President Wilson would not object to an elimination of this provision, which is said to be held by Germany to violate the commerce and navigation treaty of 1828.

Senator Thomas, of Colorado, in a speech during which he declared he would support the Underwood bill as it comes from the finance committee branded as a false reflection of public sentiment in his own state a protest against the sugar schedule forwarded to the senate by bankers and commercial organizations of Denver.

Many communications from people in Colorado, urging the senators to stand by the democratic program were read. Senator Thomas attacked the "over-capitalization of the best sugar companies," declaring that the \$50,000,000 capitalization of the companies in Colorado was \$30,000,000 water, on which they paid dividends on the "preferred and watered stock" and that one of the companies had a surplus in excess of \$10,000,000.

Senator Thornton, of Louisiana, spoke of remarks made by Senator Martina, referring to the Louisiana (Continued on Page Eight)

LOBBYIST CHARGE OF THE PRESIDENT CAUSES SENSATION

United States Senators Would Have Matter Investigated Without Least Delay

RESOLUTIONS ARE FORMALLY TURNED IN

Members of Upper House Declare They Do Not Know Any Lobbyists

WASHINGTON, May 27.—President Wilson's charge that an "insidious lobby" is at work in Washington in behalf of desired changes in the tariff bill was brought to the formal notice of the senate today through a resolution by Senator Cummins...

Senator Cummins attempted to get immediate action of his resolution which would authorize the greatest investigation of so-called "lobbying" ever undertaken by congress.

Senator Gallinger at first objected to the resolution as "absurd." Later he withdrew his objection but on demand of Senator Owen, the Cummins resolution went finally over for one day without action.

The proposed investigation would require all senators to give names of persons who had approached or written them in the interest of tariff changes; would request President Wilson to furnish names of persons referred to in his statement yesterday that a great and powerful lobby was at work and would authorize the senatorial committee to determine whether the action of any lobbyist, who might be discovered was proper or improper.

Gallinger Says 'Tis Absurd. "It is absurd to demand that the names be given of men who have talked with senators about the tariff bill," declared Senator Gallinger.

"Men are here because they have a right to be here, because they represent the great interests of the country that are imperiled by proposed changes in the tariff. To call them lobbyists is absurd."

"I recognize the right of any interest affected by pending legislation to appear and offer argument," said Senator Cummins. "I do not know that any lobbyists are here. None have approached me. But, we have a tariff bill before us."

"Now, it is said by the highest authority, that a lobby of great proportions, employing means of the most insidious and illegitimate character, is engaged in the effort to secure changes in the bill as now proposed. The public has been led to believe and will believe that if any changes are made they will have been due to their influence."

What Is Lobbyist? "I don't know what a lobbyist is. If it is the man who appears to make legitimate arguments, I am for him. But, the country has a right to know what influences are surrounding the senate of the United States, to know who is here and who is attempting by argument, by influence or by persuasion, to change the tariff rates."

The fight over the lobby resolution ended abruptly at the objection of Senator Owen. The presidents public statement of yesterday had brought an earlier comment in the senate from Senator Thornton, one of the democratic senators from Louisiana, who opposes the presidents free sugar program. Commenting on steps that (Continued on Page Eight)

MUCH WANTED NEGRO IS CAPTURED BY POSSE NEAR GEORGIA TOWN

Is Charged with Causing the Deaths of Three South Carolina Men.

WAS SERIOUSLY SHOT

NEWINGTON, Ga., May 27.—Richard Henry Austin, the negro who killed Dr. S. C. Moore, Magistrate Edmfield and Victor Bowers in Hampton county, South Carolina, several weeks ago, was captured tonight near the residence of Marvin Giles seven miles north of this place.

The posse, headed by Sheriff Morris, of Lincoln county, South Carolina, after hunting all day for the negro, came upon him suddenly about dusk. It is said Austin showed fight and that he was immediately shot.

His wounds are considered dangerous, but he will be taken back to South Carolina tomorrow morning if able to travel.

AMERICAN PLAYERS ARE DOING QUITE WELL IN THE SCOTLAND MEETING

Weber, of Toledo, Ohio, is New Regarded as Golf Champion.

MANY IN TOURNEY

ST. ANDREWS, Scotland, May 27.—The American players did well today in the second and third round of the amateur golf championship tournament.

Harold Weber, of Toledo, first beat Shepherd, of the Henley club, by three up and one to play, and in the third round defeated J. F. Myles, of the Royal and Ancient club, by three up and two to play.

W. Heinrich Schmidt, of Worcester, Mass., beat Captain Brune, of the Royal North Devon club, by six up and five to play, and later defeated Tasson, of Lytham, and St. Anna, one of the strongest players in England, by three up and two to play. Weber and Schmidt are now regarded as championship possibilities.

Sweet Popularity.



HE THINKS WELL OF CHAMPAGNE AND MINT JULEPS ARE NOT TOO BAD, BUT,— LIQUOR BOYCOTTED SAYS ROOSEVELT

Ex-President Tells the Story of His Life Including His Proclivities for Drinking. Managed Once to Swallow a Mouthful of Beer Out of Respect to His Host.—The City of Milwaukee.

MARQUETTE, Mich., May 27.—Theodore Roosevelt, a picture of ruddy vigor and perfect health, turned a square jaw in the direction of twelve farmers, lumbermen, miners and woodmen in court today and gave his character for sobriety as "not a total abstainer," but, "never intoxicated in his life."

When Mr. Roosevelt, after a brief outline of the plaintiff's case to the jury, called Colonel Roosevelt to the stand, the latter, who had been inconspicuous among a number of prospective witnesses and visitors, stepped briskly forward.

"Now, tell the jury," instructed the lawyer, and the client proceeded to tell them, as directed.

Takes to Champagne. "At public dinners I sometimes drink a glass of champagne, perhaps two, on an average. I may say one glass of champagne a month."

The witness snapped his words out in his peculiar, distinct, choppy enunciation, and added, after a momentary pause, with emphasis, "and I do that in public."

"I touched nothing else in the eleven months," continued the witness, "and the doctor, apparently out of a whim, at the end of the trip measured what was left and found that I had consumed just seven ounces."

Diablics Whiskey. The witness expressed a detestation for whiskey and beer. Of the latter he could remember having taken about one mouthful in his life. That was at the Deutscher club, in Milwaukee, where he was urged to pay the tribute of a swallow of the amber brew. As for whiskey, he got it mostly under protest upon insistence of his doctors, who put a teaspoonful of it in milk which they sometimes pressed upon him on occasions of extreme fatigue.

In spite of the former president's testimony showed that he drank liquor or wine when compelled to for independence or when the conventionalities of public occasions required, except that he takes a glass of light wine, rarely two glasses, with his meals.

Much of the testimony was introduced to indicate that the plaintiff's physical vigor, his functional perfection, his violence of exercise, and capacity for work, could not exist in the person of one who got drunk, and that not infrequently, as the alleged libelous editorial in the Iron Ore charged.

Dr. Rixey There. Important witnesses of this phase of the examination were Dr. Alex Lambert, Colonel Roosevelt's family physician and intimate friend of thirty years; and Dr. T. N. Rixey, surgeon-general, U. S. N., retired, where official duties during the McKinley and Roosevelt terms of office included little else than to guard the presidential physical well being. Other witnesses were Jacob Ritz and Gilson Gardner, the former a sociologist and writer, and the latter a newspaper man whose duty for many years compelled him to take close note of everything pertaining to Colonel Roosevelt.

Colonel Roosevelt, Dr. Lambert testified he had made a special study of the heart and lungs and of the effect of alcohol, tobacco, opiates and drugs on the human system.

When Mr. Andrews, on cross examination, suggested that witness "knowledge of what the colonel drank at meal time did not extend

to breakfasts, the doctor said: "Oh, yes, indeed. I have frequently stayed at the Roosevelt home all night and might drop in at breakfast any day, as I frequently did."

Dr. Lambert said he had given special attention to the study of alcoholism more than to any other line; had written a book on the subject, which was standard in the profession, and probably during his career had treated 40,000 cases of alcoholism and allied disorders.

In Extremely Temperate. "He is extremely temperate," testified the doctor. "His heart and liver, which, in an alcoholic, would be affected, he said, were prodigiously healthy. He never was called upon to treat his friend professional until he was called to Mercy hospital, Chicago, after Colonel Roosevelt was shot."

He described the wound. "None but a vigorous and healthy man could have stood the shock and loss of blood as did Colonel Roosevelt," he said. "No alcoholic could have rallied as he did. He was not nervous, as an alcoholic would have been, and despite the pain, fell asleep and rested as quietly as a baby. Had he been a drinking man his nervous system would have shown it; he might even have had delirium tremens."

Witness spoke of hunting trips in Colorado, Montana, the Dakotas and in Louisiana, in which he was the plaintiff's companion. There was usually liquor in camp, but Roosevelt did not carry it. On these trips he remembered only once when his friend took a drink and that was a glass of champagne, taken at a dinner given to members of a hunting party on a train.

White House Physician. Dr. Rixey, as White House physician, viewed his responsibilities with great gravity and, according to his testimony, fairly haunted the plaintiff during his seven years at Washington. He hovered over the president like an anxious mother over her infant.

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NORFOLK MAN ELECTED COMMANDER OF THE SONS

William W. Old, Jr., Now Heads Sons of the Veterans.

CHATTANOOGA, May 27.—

William W. Old, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., late today was elected commander in chief of the Sons of Confederate Veterans organization now in session here. The next reunion of the Sons of Veterans will be held in the city chosen for the annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans.

Other officers chosen by the Sons of Veterans were: Dr. A. M. Brailford, of Mullins, S. C., commander of the Army of Virginia departments; P. J. Mullen, of Rome, Ga., commander of the Tennessee department; Edgar Scarry, of Wichita Falls, Texas, commander of the Trans-Mississippi department.

New members of the executive council selected today follow: John W. Balle, of Rome, Ga.; William Brandon, of Little Rock; Seymour Stewart, of St. Louis, Mo.; W. G. Pritchard, of Charleston, S. C.; Dr. Thomas M. Owen, of Montgomery, Ala., was chosen as historian general. Representatives from every southern state attended the meetings of the organization today.

FARMER IS KILLED WHEN CIRCUS TENT BLOWS DOWN

Another Woman is Seriously Injured in Storm at Henderson Yesterday.

HENDERSON, N. C., May 27.—While the afternoon performance of a wild west show was in progress here this afternoon a terrific wind storm broke over the town.

A portion of the main show tent was blown down on the crowd beneath, one of the poles supporting the tent falling on Robert Davis, a prominent farmer of this county, inflicting injuries from which he died an hour later.

One woman was seriously injured and several others hurt. A panic ensued among the spectators who fled through a downpour of rain to places of safety.

DEFENSE SCORES POINT. BOSTON, May 27.—The defense in the dynamite conspiracy trial succeeded today in introducing evidence that on the night of January 19, 1912, during the hours when the government alleges President William Wood, of the American Woolen company, and Frederick E. Atkinson, were furthering a conspiracy to "plant" dynamite at Lawrence, both defendants were attending a conference of mill agents.

MANY NORTH CAROLINIANS VISITING AT WASHINGTON

President Wilson Gives the Postoffice Plum Tree Another Good Shake.

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George Bellamy, of Brunswick, Corporation Commissioner W. T. Lee, of Waverlyville, and Prof. D. F. Giles, of Marion, are visiting here.

THE WEATHER. WASHINGTON, May 27.—Forecast for North Carolina: Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday with rather high temperatures.

GOVERNOR HOOPER GREETED BY HISSES AT REUNION CITY

Confederate Veterans Hear Their First Welcome from Republican Executive

MANY VISITORS ARE BEING WELL CARED FOR

Chattanooga Throws Open Its Doors to Great Army of the Gray

CHATTANOOGA, May 27.—Eloquent addresses, spectacular parades and scores of social entertainments in honor of veterans, sponsors and maids of honor characterized the opening day of the twenty-third annual United Confederate Veterans reunion in this city.

The only discordant note was sounded at the first business session of the veterans when hisses, finally drowned out by cheers, slightly delayed Governor Ben W. Hooper, of Tennessee, in delivering his address of welcome. The Tennessee executive, who is said to have been the first republican governor to welcome a reunion of Confederate veterans, disregarded the disturbance and was given an ovation at the conclusion of his remarks.

Gen. Bennett H. Young, commander in chief of the United Confederate Veterans, and Governor Hooper, with their staffs, reviewed the parade from an official stand erected at General Young's headquarters.

Veterans Enjoy Display. The aged veterans, who thronged the streets, appeared to enjoy the display immensely. As each automobile passed, filled with beautiful women and girls, the veterans leaned far over the restraining ropes along the street, waved their hats and threw kisses to the southern beauties. These in turn acknowledged the greetings and tossed flowers to the soldiers.

The review today of the Eleventh United States cavalry furnished a novel spectacle to many visitors who cavalrymen and officers gathered through the city and passed in review before Gen. Bennett H. Young and scores of sponsors, maids and maistresses of honor. All the officers saluted the gray-haired veteran commander in chief as they passed, and the regimental band played "Dixie."

Business sessions were held in the morning and afternoon by both the United Confederate Veterans and the Sons of Veterans.

Old Is Elected. The latter elected William W. Old, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., to succeed J. P. Norfleet, of Memphis, as commander in chief. The new commander is the son of William W. Old, of Virginia, who served on the staff of General Early in the Valley campaign, and with Gen. Ed. Johnson, invitations were tendered to the Sons to hold their 1914 reunion in Denver, Col., and Birmingham. The Sons reunion will be held in the city chosen by the United Confederate Veterans.

Business sessions of the United Confederate Veterans today were attended by crowds which fill the city (Continued on Page Eight)

HONORARY DEGREE IS CONFERRED UPON AN ORATOR AT DAVIDSON

Historic Old Presbyterian College Finishes its 76 Year of Existence.

COMMENCEMENT ON

CHARLOTTE, May 27.—Davidson college, the historic North Carolina Presbyterian institution which President Wilson attended as a student, at its commencement today, conferred the degree of doctor of laws on William T. Ellis, of Swarthmore, Pa., a traveler-journalist, who delivered the commencement address upon "America's World Mission."

Davidson's new president, Dr. W. J. Martin, will be inducted into office tomorrow. This institution has the largest body of undergraduates students of any Presbyterian institution in the south and has this year over seventy candidates for the ministry. This completes the seventy-sixth year of the college's history.

WILL SERVE GRAPE-JUICE

ATLANTA, May 27.—Grape juice of the unfermented kind will be the strongest beverage served at the banquet to be tendered Secretary of State W. J. Bryan here Monday night. A rotary Bryan is to deliver an address Monday afternoon at the Quarter Centennial celebration of the Georgia Institute of Technology.