

EINSTEIN THEORY CAUSES TROUBLE

Very Bases of the Solar System Undermined by His Latest Theory.

BY WILLIAM BIRD. Staff Correspondent of The News. Special Wireless Dispatch to The News. Copyright, 1921, by News Publishing Co. London, Dec. 10.—The full and frightful consequences of the Einstein theory are just beginning to be apparent. Too many people up to this time have gone quietly about their business...

to Summer hotels, when that time comes, will be obliged to overheat the moonstruck couples on the verandas at least twice as often as they now do. Criminals, "taking advantage of the dark of the moon," will have twice as many opportunities for their deeds. Graveyard ghosts will scarcely get any rest at all, and the demand for rabbit's feet will force the price far out of reach of the common man obliged to pass by a cemetery on his way home from his nocturnal toil.

led country putting a stop to this sort of tampering with things that have always given satisfaction just as they are, and that the vast majority of people the world over would prefer to maintain on their present historical and traditional basis? To look at the record one would think that our legislators were perfectly content to have the moon racing around in its orbit at a reckless pace, in defiance of all the laws of celestial traffic and astronomy.

OUTLAWS POPULAR POEM. And if the moon is to be allowed to break the laws with impunity, the example is sure to spread. The next thing, the sun will join the race and we shall have eight days in a week, and the most popular poem in the English language will have to be revised to read:

"Thirty-five days hath September, April, June and November, All the rest have thirty-six, Excepting February, which alone, Hath thirty-two and in bissextile or Leap Years, Thirty-three."

You see the whole rhyme and swing of the thing is destroyed. There will then be 424 days in a year and this in turn is sure to be used by unscrupulous landlords as a new pretext for raising rents.

By and large, then, there is little to be hoped from our legislators, who, as usual, are too busy looking out for their own narrow political interests to concern themselves with the general welfare, and the only chance of avoiding calamity lies in an aroused and awakened public opinion. People who want to avoid having the sun rise and waken the baby at 2 o'clock in the morning should organize now, before it is too late, and make their sentiments felt.

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BERGDOLL PURSUER MUST SECURE WORK

New York, Dec. 10.—Charles O. Naes, former A. E. F. sergeant who, with surgeon Frank Zimmer, tried to capture Grover C. Bergdoll, draft-evader in Eberbach, Baden, and was imprisoned by the German authorities for two and a half months, applied for aid at American Legion headquarters today. He said he had been unable to find work since his return and, unless he obtained employment, he feared his wife and himself would be put out of their home. Even his efforts to sell a police dog he brought from Germany, he declared, had been futile.

GAMBAIS BLUEBEARD IS DANGEROUSLY ILL

Versailles, Dec. 10.—Henri Desire Landru, convicted "Bluebeard of Gambais," is dangerously ill in his cell. The prisoner was found guilty of murder in the first degree and sentenced to death last week after a sensational trial, which lasted for more than three weeks. He was charged with the murder of ten women, to whom he is said to have promised marriage, and the son of one of the women.

HAS CONQUERED ALL OPPOSITION

Ratification of the Anglo-Irish Treaty by Three Factions is Expected.

BY ED L. KEENE. United Press Staff Correspondent. London, Dec. 10.—The Anglo-Irish treaty tonight appears to have conquered all opposition in England, Ireland and Ulster.

Premier Lloyd-George at Chequers Court, was mapping out his speech before the British Parliament Wednesday. Michael Collins seemed to have won a sufficient Irish majority to favor the treaty and Sir James Craig was on his feet in Belfast silently surveying the reports that the new constitution, a platform entering the new Irish Free State.

Whether Ulster accepts or not, there will be no organized resistance against the treaty there, it was indicated. Premier Lloyd-George and told him of Ulster's fears that South Ireland might exercise an unjust domination over Ulster's affairs in a new all-Irish Parliament.

Craig, it is understood, suggested Ulster be granted some of the benefits of the treaty without entering the Free State. This is said to have been refused, leaving Ulster the course of organizing and obtaining the benefits or remaining out and continuing under the present home rule act. It is believed Ulster would rather take a chance in the new parliament.

Whatever decision is arrived at will be announced at a meeting of the Unionist party in Belfast Monday. This backing the treaty has secured in Ireland was indicated in the case of Cardinal Logue, primate of the Catholic church, to all Irish bishops to meet Tuesday and urge acceptance of the new state alone, it is believed, would influence the larger portion of the Irish people to demand acceptance of the treaty if they did not already favor it.

The wave of sentiment for the pact has carried Michael Collins, the leader of the Sinn Fein army, to the place of leader of what seems to be a new Irish State party. The Republicans were definitely split by the action of General de Valera in refusing to sanction the treaty. But the majority seems to have rallied to the support of Collins. A further indication that Britain is desirable to Sinn Fein was contained in the announcement from the Irish office that no efforts would be spared to release Sinn Fein prisoners from the bombing of a train of released Sinn Fein prisoners at Thurles.

FIVE NEW "Y'S" START IN STATE

J. Wilson Smith, State Secretary Says North Carolina is in the Lead.

Five new associations organized and in full swing during the last 12 months is the record of the State committee of the Y. M. C. A., according to J. Wilson Smith, State secretary.

Mr. Smith returned Saturday from New Bern where the latest association was organized. During the year an association was organized at Fayetteville, Cabarrus Mills, at Kannapolis, and two industrial associations at Greensboro. It is the belief of Mr. Smith that there is not a single other State in the South that can claim as large a number of new associations as can North Carolina. The State committee is at work starting the "Y" spirit, mind and body, in not in force. The committee, he said, is busy, aiding those communities, which invite the assistance of the State committee.

All these associations, said the State secretary, are without left. At New Bern, it was proposed to raise a yearly budget of \$7,500 in a two-year campaign, but as a matter of fact, according to Mr. Smith, \$3,000 was raised in less than half a day. Just this week \$12,000 was raised in Fayetteville, where ground has already been broken for the proposed building.

The two industrial associations at Greensboro threw open the doors of new buildings Saturday. These two buildings have been erected at a cost of \$250,000 each, said Mr. Smith. The association at New Bern is a community "Y". Mr. Smith said that the community "Y" is the popular form of association work in the smaller cities of eastern Carolina. Three years ago the work was started in Washington and the programs carried out by the community secretary, said Mr. Smith, have been highly profitable. The "Y" he added, has a tremendous influence in that city and it is the purpose of the committee to initiate the community program in many of the other cities of that section of the State.

WILSON IS DOING BIG BUSINESS IN TOBACCO

BY PARKER ANDERSON. Staff Correspondent of The News. Washington, Dec. 10.—The city of Wilson will do a tobacco business of over \$20,000,000 this year, according to S. W. Smith, one of the leading merchants of the South. Over 20,000,000 pounds of tobacco will be handled on the Wilson market, Smith says and the average price for the weed will be around 27 cents. If the present price of cotton is maintained the farmer will be able to make some money out of this year's crop in the opinion of the Wilson tobacco man. Cotton this year, he says, was produced at a much lower cost than previous crops. At the present prices it will help the farmers greatly, he thinks.

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STILLMANS OPEN A NEW SENSATION

Attorney for Mrs. Stillman Charges Bribery of Banker's Witnesses.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Dec. 10.—The biggest sensation in the country's most talked of divorce scandal—the Stillman case—was sprung today when attorneys for Mrs. Fifi Potter Stillman charged "wholesale bribery of witnesses" and "subornation of perjury" by agents of the multi-millionaire banker, James A. Stillman. It was charged, in a hearing before Supreme Court Justice Morchauer, that it was upon false evidence, given by bribed witnesses, that Stillman based his charges of infidelity and questioned the paternity of little baby Guy Stillman.

The charges were made by John F. Brennan, chief of Mrs. Stillman's counsel, at the hearing on Mrs. Stillman's application for appointment of a special commissioner to take testimony in Canada in the proceedings, and to recall witnesses who previously had testified for Stillman.

It was learned that Fred K. Beauvais, Indian guide named by Stillman as co-respondent and father of "Baby Guy" Stillman, had gathered the evidence on which Mrs. Stillman's attorney based his charges. The charges came as a surprise to Stillman's counsel, E. Outerbridge Horsey, who immediately demanded to know the names of those accused of attempting to corrupt witnesses in the proceedings.

Attorney Brennan said the allegations would be supported by thirty-three witnesses, who would testify to having been approached by agents of Stillman, who sought to have them give perjured testimony against Mrs. Stillman. Brennan gave Justice Morchauer an affidavit with the names of the witnesses and an outline of their testimony. Many of these witnesses will swear they were not scuffling at the Grand Army Summer camp in the Summer of 1919 when Stillman's witnesses testified, they had peeped in the bedrooms from the scaffolding and saw Mrs. Stillman in a bedroom with Beauvais.

Brennan said the agents charged with attempting to suborn Canadians could not all be named at this time but named Francis Lafore and J. Albert Fontaine, both of Quebec, in this connection. Brennan said Fontaine offered witnesses "good jobs and a good time in New York" if they would testify to illicit relations between Mrs. Stillman and Beauvais. He said Canadian witnesses who testified for Stillman in previous hearings received money in excess of regular witness fees, traveling expenses and other authorized charges. Brennan requested that these witnesses be summoned to an open commission hearing in Montreal beginning January 11.

EMMA GOLDMAN IS COMING BACK

Says She Will Fight for Citizenship; Berkman Also Coming.

Riga, Dec. 10.—(By the Associated Press)—Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman, whose presence in Riga became known yesterday, today told the Associated Press correspondent they were "not going to America immediately," but hoped to travel in Europe soon.

They said they hoped ultimately to reach the United States and fight in the Supreme Court to establish their American citizenship. They were both deported to Russia from the United States in the Winter of 1919. "I am not returning to the United States as a prodigal daughter throwing herself upon its mercy," said Miss Goldman. "While in some cases I have disagreed with the Soviet Government, my stay in Russia has only served to convince me that I have always been right, and that anarchy is the only sound system."

Miss Goldman said she still loved America, as she always had loved it. She said she was making no comparison between Russia and America, but she announced emphatically that she was "not going back to Russia." When she was asked why, her only answer was: "Because America is my country."

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