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BEACH HARGIS MUST SERVE HIS SENTENCE

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 27.—Beach Hargis must serve his sentence of life imprisonment for the murder of his father, James Hargis, the feudist, according to a finding handed down by the Kentucky court of appeals at Frankfort to-day. Hargis had asked for a rehearing of his appeal to the court.

REP. BOVTELL DEFENDS NEW TARIFF LAW

Washington, Jan. 27.—Admitting that the Payne tariff law would have to be justified by results, Representative Bove of Illinois, defended the new law in the house.

The president had been criticised, he said, because he had declared the Payne act was the best tariff law ever passed by Congress. "The common sense and sagacity of President Taft will be recognized by his re-election in 1912," he said, and added: "It has been claimed that the tariff act has not brought prosperity and that it will retard prosperity."

When the democrats applauded this last statement and laughed in derision, Mr. Bove sharply rebuked them. "Why is it," he asked, "that the democrats always applaud any tale of misfortune or prediction of adversity?"

The republicans laughed and applauded and the democrats lapsed into silence.

A DISASTROUS EXPLOSION WRECKS HOUSE

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 27.—As far as can be learned today there were but six persons in the rooming house at 428 West Fourth street, which was demolished when a wall of a ruined distillery was blown down by the wind last night. Of these, Joseph Casabella, is dead, another is missing and four were injured.

Police and firemen were still searching the ruins for possible victims to-day.

The rooming house was a two and a half story brick, while the wall which fell into it, was five stories. The wind was blowing 45 miles an hour.

DEATH OF REV. DR. JAS. BOYCE AT DUE WEST

Due West, S. C., Jan. 27.—Rev. Jas. Boyce, D. D., president of the Woman's College, of Due West, died this morning at 3 o'clock, death resulting from a stroke of apoplexy, which he suffered 10 days ago. Since that time he has been gradually sinking until death came this morning. Dr. Boyce leaves a wife and four daughters, all of whom were here when his death occurred. He was 50 years and two days old, having just celebrated his 50th birthday. His mother and brothers are expected to arrive this afternoon from Gastonia and the funeral services will be held here at the A. R. P. church tomorrow at 10 a. m. Dr. F. Y. Pressley will conduct the services and a number of ministers will attend. College exercises are suspended at both Erskine and the Woman's College on account of his death.

Due West, S. C., Jan. 27.—Rev. Dr. James Boyce, president of the Woman's College here, died at an early hour this morning.

Rev. James Boyce, D. D., late president of the Woman's College, of Due West, was born in Gaston county, N. C., January 25, 1860, being the son of an illustrious father, E. E. Boyce, D. D., who was also an able minister in the A. R. P. church. Dr. Boyce received his primary education at the high school near his home and entered Erskine in 1875. Here he spent three years in college, graduating in 1878 at the early age of 18.

Entering the "Theological Seminary" at Due West, he spent two years in the study of theology and graduated in 1881, when he began his public ministry. For several years Mr. Boyce assisted his father in his ministerial work at Pisgah, Bethany and Kings Mountain. In 1884 he accepted a call to Chestnut Street church, Louisville, Ky., where he labored successfully until 1896. From October, 1896, to April, 1899, he was acceptable pastor of Huntersville (N. C.), A. R. P. church. In April, 1899, Dr. Boyce accepted the presidency of the Woman's College here, which at that time was known as the Due West Female College. Dr. Boyce continued to serve the church and community in this capacity until the time of his death. Under the ten years of his administration the institution has enjoyed remarkable success, the curriculum has been broadened, the equipment improved and a modern, concrete building, equipped with every convenience, has been added to the campus. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Jennie (Thompson) Boyce, and four daughters—Mrs. Bessie Pressley, Moreland, Ga.; Miss Jessie Boyce, of the faculty of Linwood College, and Misses Mary and Rachel Boyce, of Due West. Dr. Boyce was one of the leading ministers of the A. R. P. church, being a scholar, a man of profound piety in life, and of peculiar gentleness in manner and conduct. The cause of education in South Carolina as well as the church and State, sustains a great loss in his death.

Vardaman Suffers Loss of Votes

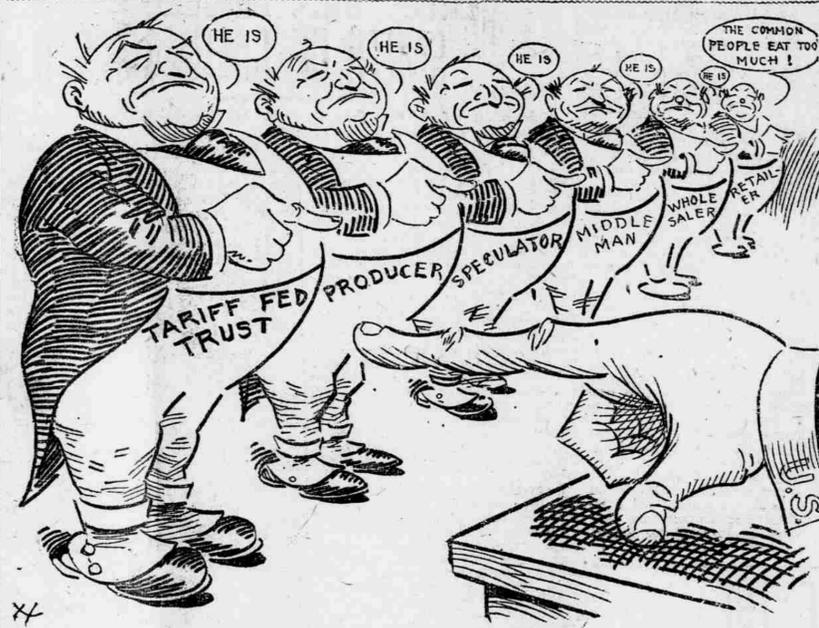
Jackson, Miss., Jan. 27.—Balloting in the senatorial contest will be resumed in the Democratic caucus late to-day. The indications are that there will be no withdrawals and a repetition of last night's vote is expected. Vardaman's unexpected loss of votes last night has caused his forces to set to work to-day in an endeavor to whip the wavering members back into line. The opposition candidates are jubilant over Vardaman's loss. They attach little importance to the entry of Speaker Street as a "dark horse" in the contest declaring that the majority of votes cast for him were complimentary.

Vardaman's supporters are confident they have 75 votes that can be depended upon in the first ballot to-day and believe he will regain all his lost strength.

May Be Much Cruelty

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 27.—Following a confession by Mrs. W. W. Wilson, that she was not the mother of quadruplets reported born to her Friday, inquiry was begun to-day to determine the parentage of the infants. Humane officers suspect the investigation will reveal wholesale abandonment of offspring by parents.

—The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Thos. H. Wright will be glad to know that their baby, who has been quite sick, is better.



WHO IS TO BE BLAMED FOR THE INCREASED COST OF LIVING?

Man's Body Taken Up For Autopsy—Mysterious Proceedings of Coroner

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 27.—I believe this investigation now under way will unearth the biggest swindle in the insurance line ever exposed west of New York," said State Insurance Commissioner Bell today, as he took up the case of Walter E. Rider, a teamster who died January 4th, and whose body was exhumed yesterday by the coroner on the request of certain insurance companies. The death certificate indicated that Rider died of intestinal trouble, but it is reported that he autopsy which began this morning showed a large portion of the lung eaten away, supposedly by tuberculosis.

Coroner Investigating Death of Young Lady

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 27.—A coroner's jury is to-day investigating the death of Miss May Walker, who died here yesterday under rather mysterious circumstances. Miss Walker was taken ill suddenly Tuesday night. The attending physician diagnosed the case as congestion of the brain, but her friends believe she was poisoned. Whether they think that she swallowed the poison with suicidal intent or that it was administered to her by another they decline to say. Miss Walker has a sister living in South Carolina.

Finishing Touches On Postal Savings Bank Bill Made

Washington, Jan. 27.—The finishing touches on the postal savings bank bill, to be reported from the senate committee on postoffices and post roads, are being made by a subcommittee composed of Senators Carter, Dooliver and Owen. They expected to complete their work to-day and the bill probably will be reported to the senate on Friday.

Tragedy Enacted In Bank of Waynesville --One Man Killed

Asheville, Jan. 27.—Waynesville was shocked to-day by a tragedy which occurred in the Bank of Waynesville when Thad Browning was killed by Allen Green, constable.

ABSCONDING BANKER HAS SURRENDERED

Webster, Mass., Jan. 27.—After excluding himself for more than a week John A. Hall, treasurer of the South Bridge Savings Bank who is charged with the larceny of \$21,000 of the bank's funds, surrendered himself to the state police at Worcester early to-day and was brought here for hearing in the district court.

GOOD ROADS CONFERENCE AT RALEIGH

Raleigh, Jan. 27.—At least 100 men from various counties of the state are here for the Good Roads Conference. The meeting adopted a resolution calling on the next legislature to provide ample appropriation for aiding counties and townships in constructing good roads located by state engineers and to provide engineering assistance for locating roads to be improved.

Willard Goes Free

Washington, Jan. 27.—The jury in the case of Albert H. Willard, who shot and killed his son-in-law named Beck here last May, returned a verdict of not guilty last night. The jury held that Willard was insane when he killed Beck. Beck, who married Willard's very young daughter, was accused by her father of shamefully mistreating her.

National Field Club

Rogers Springs, Tenn., Jan. 27.—Representatives of practically every field trial club in the United States will meet here to-morrow to effect a national organization which will serve as a governing body for the various clubs.

Man Tears Baby From Mothers Arms and Runs

East St. Louis, Ill., Jan. 27.—Elizabeth Fricke, a 4 year old child of Bellevue, Ill., was torn away from her mother by an unidentified man while waiting for a train in this city last night. Two hours later she was found stripped of all her clothing in a slough in the rear of a saloon. She was standing in water up to her waist, half frozen.

SITUATION IN FRANCE GROWS MORE SERIOUS

It is Estimated That Over 100,000 Refugees Are in Paris Alone—15,000 Laborers Out of Work—River Receding.

Floors of Many Fine Buildings Are Caving in And Thousands Homeless—Home of Pres. Filled With Water

Paris, Jan. 27.—Paris today resembles a beleaguered city. The military commander in each of the five sections into which the metropolis has been divided holds his soldiers in constant readiness for dispatch to points of danger.

The government of the municipality has placed the military barracks and public school buildings at the disposal of the refugees, who already number, it is estimated, more than 100,000.

Fifteen thousand laborers of the city are out of work, and though subscriptions are pouring in, \$200,000 having been raised last night, and of which \$1,400 was contributed by the American chamber of commerce, the government today decided to ask parliament for an additional credit to be used in relief work.

Every minute today brought a new tale of disaster. At 8 o'clock the vault of the Orleans railway tunnel gave way at the Rue Git Lecour. Another bad cave-in occurred in the Rue Lille, flooding the quarters of the German embassy. The buildings of the foreign office were surrounded by water this morning and abandoned. The main drain under the Champs de Mars broke during the forenoon and the blanket of water extended back to Invalides, where repose the bones of Napoleon.

The region in the neighborhood of the law courts and the prefecture of police were flooded and chairs and tables were drifting about. The waters invaded the court of St. Chapelle, the most glorious gem of Gothic architecture in France and the lower floor of the historic Clergierie was flooded.

The stage of the waters this morning exceeded all records back to 1615, and up to 12 o'clock the river continued to rise at the rate of 3-4 inch an hour.

Perhaps the most alarming feature of the situation in the morning was the fissure at the Antueil viaduct at the foot of Paris. Should this give way it would act as a dam and submerge the entire city.

The valley of the Seine now presents a terrifying spectacle. The flood is miles wide for twenty-five miles above, and the raging torrent runs through the city at the rate of 25 miles an hour. It is flush with the parapets at the bridges where it is not actually overflowing them, turning streets into muddy lagoons and choking the underground workings to the bursting point. There are 700 miles of sewers and two rivers, the Yonne and the Grand Canal Belliere, under Paris. The latter is running under the opera house, whose confining walls are subjected to the pressure of thousands of cubic yards of water.

Wherever a break in masonry occurs the streets cave in and the water and refuse emerge. Thus dozens of places a mile back from the river streets are flooded and the walls of adjoining buildings have been rendered unsafe. In many instances the police have forced tenants to abandon their threatened homes.

The subsidence at noon continued for thirty minutes, amounting to three quarters of an inch. Later it was claimed that the fall was due to the rapid overflow into the Bery quarter from points where the Seine had broken its barriers. Experts said that the river was still rising this afternoon, but that the maximum flood should be reached at 3 o'clock. The Bery quarter has been abandoned by the residents. The temperature moderated to a great extent, affording much relief to homeless.

Notre Dame was surrounded with water to-day and the crypts were flooded. The Rotten Pallsides back of the Continued on page three.