

## Reciprocity Caucus Ended in Failure

### But Six Republican Senators Present. But the Beet Sugar Men Prevented Action

June 18.—Forty-eight of the Republicans of the Senate met in caucus tonight for three hours in an effort to support some plan of reciprocity, but nothing was accomplished again on Friday afternoon.

Senator Burrows, who long ago introduced the Spooner bill, was the only one who formally invited the forty-eight Senators to meet. He stated that he had no objection to any sort of Cuban reciprocity and declared that he would vote for the last in a series of bills which he had introduced for two additional years.

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## AN ARMED CRANK AT WHITE HOUSE

### He Carried a Revolver and Wanted to Use It

Washington, June 18.—Cary J. McAllister of 45 Crawford street, Newark, N. J., called at the White House this afternoon and subsequently was arrested and held for examination into his mental condition. He was armed with a revolver, which he said he wanted to use on a messenger whom he said was ready to kill him. He is 25 years old. He said his troubles followed his rejection by a Newark girl.

## REVOLUTIONISTS WIN A BATTLE

### The Venezuelan Government Troops in Revolt

Willemstad, Island of Curacao, Friday, June 13.—News reached here today of an important success of the Venezuelan revolutionists. After five hours fighting on Wednesday June 11, 1,000 revolutionists commanded by Generals Herrera, Penaloza and Serrata, captured the capital of the state of Bolivar, the town of Coro. Of the government forces 27 men were killed and 28 were captured. Coro, the capital of the state of Falcon, where vice-president Ayala is in command of the troops of the government, is besieged by the revolutionists, and when these advised left Lara de Coro was expected to surrender at any moment.

## Gypsy Hypnotized Her; Then They Eloped

### Story of Young Fannie Smith On the Witness Stand—The Man Held for Court

Suffolk, Va., June 18.—Special.—Concluding an all day hearing before Justice Dyer and Harrell, Ollie Williams, the Gypsy accused of eloping June 3 with pretty Fannie Smith, 17 years old, and captured six days later at Emporia, Va., along with the girl, was this evening held for the grand jury and committed without bail.

## Cherry Tree Swindlers To Make Restitution

### To Refund \$10,000--With this Agreement Judgment Is Suspended Till October--Short Jail Sentences

Charlotte, N. C., June 18.—Special.—In the now celebrated Amos Owens Cherry Tree case sentence was today deferred until the October term of court in Greensboro. The defendants are to raise ten thousand dollars to restore to the agents who were caught in their swindle and also will pay the costs in the case.

## WILL DENY HIMSELF

### King Edward Training for the Coronation

London, June 18.—The following statement was issued from Windsor Castle tonight: "We are authorized to state that in anticipation of the severe strain to which the King will be subjected during the coronation festivities, his Majesty's medical advisers have recommended him to forego all public engagements during the next few days."

## LEE NOT A LUNATIC

### So Say a Jury--Now to Be Tried for Murder

Atlanta, Ga., June 18.—Millard Lee, who three weeks ago shot Miss Lila Suttles to death in a church on the outskirts of Atlanta, was this afternoon pronounced sane by a jury. His attorneys had put up a plea of lunacy and the first trial was to determine his mental status.

## A FATHER'S INHUMANITY

### How He Attempted to Reform a Bad Son

Seranton, Pa., June 18.—Edward Crumple, nine years old, son of Michael Crumple, who lives on the Moccasin mountain, was found by the police this afternoon shackled with chains and tied to the floor of a barn where he had been compelled to live since Sunday. The boy was taken in charge by the charitable association of this city. The cruel father was taken to the county jail in default of \$800 bail.

## Limit to Immigration

Washington, June 18.—Representative Shattuck of Ohio today introduced a bill providing for an educational test for the admission of immigrants. All immigrants who are 15 years of age or over must pass a test in reading English or some other language, except when citizens of Canada or a member of the family of a resident of the United States, are to be excluded.

## BIG MILL SUIT BEGINS TRIAL

### Action to Recover \$60,000 From Gastonia Concerns

Charlotte, N. C., June 18.—Special.—The case of the Wells Cotton Company vs. the Gastonia, N. C., Manufacturing Company and Avon Cotton Mills was taken up in the Federal Court today. The plaintiffs, who do a cotton business at Vicksburg, Miss. demand about \$60,000 alleged to be due them by the two above named cotton mills for raw cotton. The action really consists of two cases, one against each mill, \$26,000 demanded from the Avon mill and \$37,000 from the Gastonia mill.

## Special Home News From Washington

### Pulling Bate Off Our Park Bill—Postmasterships, Cadetships, and Personals—Chairman Jones and Mr. Bryan

Washington, June 18.—Special.—This morning Senator Simmons had a lengthy interview with Senator Bate of Tennessee and they discussed the Appalachian park bill. Senator Simmons went over every phase of the park measure and explained a number of features to the satisfaction of the Tennessee Senator. It is not probable that Senator Bate will continue his opposition to the bill any further. The bill is not as objectionable to him as he first thought.

## CUBAN AFFAIRS

### Bonus of \$5 Per Head for Importers of Cows, &c.

Havana, June 18.—The Diario de La Marina says that if the American government paid money to General Gomez as a bonus for the return of the island, the matter should be kept quiet. It is not desired that those who had charge of the intervention and whose success was largely due to General Gomez should now discuss whether the money was rightly or wrongly given.

## Salvador is Angry With Us

New Orleans, June 18.—The latest news from the republic of Salvador (via Guatemala) indicates a state of frenzy aroused by the recent decision of the court of arbitration at Washington in the claim of H. H. Burrill against Salvador.

## Farmers Killed by Lightning

Sherman, Texas, June 18.—Four men were struck by lightning and killed today. The dead are: William Coleman, Henry Cobwell, George Bratcher, J. K. Bratcher, a brother of George Bratcher. The men were picking potatoes on the Coleman farm and their bodies were found close together. Nearly every bone in the bodies was broken and the clothing was badly burned.