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BEECH HARGIS ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

Young Man Who Shot Father, Notorious Kentucky Mountain Feudist, Faces Judge and Jury Today in Jackson Court-house to Fight for His Life.

FOLLOWERS OF BREATHITT BOSS WANT CONVICTION

Mother is Standing By Her Boy and Will Spend \$50,000 to His Equal Sum for Best Legal Talent Obtainable.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Lexington, Ky., June 1.—The trial of Beech Hargis, charged with the murder of his father, Judge James Hargis, the famous feudist, last February, begins at Jackson, Breathitt county, today. Trouble is expected in securing a jury, for there is high feeling on both sides. Judge Hargis's former followers demand Beech's conviction, while the supporters of the boy say he should be acquitted on the ground of self-defense. The boy's mother says she is prepared to spend \$50,000 to free him, while he has the same amount for his own defense.

BERDINE THINKS GIRL SUICIDED

County Prosecutor Takes Little Stock in Theory That Pretty Librarian Was Murdered

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Princeton, N. J., June 1.—Determined to satisfy himself whether or not pretty Bertha Vanderbilt, the librarian of Princeton university, whose body was found in the Raritan canal, had been killed, committed suicide or perished by accident, Prosecutor George Berdine of Middlesex county, will enter on a personal examination at the scene of the possible crime.

AUTO ACCIDENT KILLS TWO MEN

All Night Frolic at Coney Followed by Broken Car and Bad Accident

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, June 1.—As a result of an automobile accident, two men were killed and two injured. When, on the return trip from Long Island, the automobile smashed against a tree in Ocean parkway near Prospect avenue at 5 o'clock this morning, it leaped into the air and fell, burying the six men occupants of the car under its weight.

Boy Bandits in Knee Pants Hold Up and Rob an Express

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Great Falls, Mont., June 1.—Four boy bandits in knee trousers, the leader only 15 years old, held up and robbed the northbound passenger train on the Great Northern a mile and a half from here. One man was shot.

Scenes About New York County Courthouse During Recount of Votes for Mayoralty



TO EXPEDITE THE COUNTING. New York, June 1.—With the reopening today of the quo warranto proceedings to oust George B. McClellan from the office of mayor, it was announced that in future four ballot boxes would be opened at a time instead of one or two or three, so that the work of the recount may be rushed to completion.

TRUETSON MAN OF MANY TALES

First He Says He Helped Belle Guinness, Then Calls Confession Lie

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Vernon, Texas, June 1.—Sweeping that with Ray Lamphere he acted as aid to Mrs. Belle Guinness, of Laporte, Ind., in her career of murder and then declaring the whole story a lie, Julius G. Truetson, Jr., of New York, is puzzling the officials here. His retraction came only as Sheriff Snitzer, of Laporte, was about to leave with him for Indiana.

CLEVELAND OFF FOR PRINCETON

Looks Well as Usual as He Steps Into Auto for Home-ward Trip

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Lakewood, N. J., June 1.—Looking fully as well as when he came here three months ago, Grover Cleveland, leaning heavily on his cane, came from his room in the Lakewood hotel, walked down stairs unaided, entered an automobile belonging to John Hays Hammond, and left for Princeton.

PHILLIP TELLS ABOUT SHOOTING

Dirty Fighter and Thought His Life Endangered

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, June 1.—Gaston Phillip, the wealthy young clubman, charged with killing Frank MacAbo, a cabin acquaintance, in the Arlington hotel on May 18, 1907, took the stand in his own behalf this afternoon and, while the hushed audience that packed the courtroom eagerly drank in every word of the story of that fateful morning and the events that led up to the shooting.

Mexican Colony Will Quit Clothes Altogether

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, June 1.—A "simple life colony," where men, women and children will go about naked and the men are never to cut their hair or beards, will be started this fall near Vera Cruz, Mex., by Gustaf H. Ander, well-known in socialistic and anarchistic circles and who now lives at 232 East 76th street.

GOVERNOR GLENN MAY PITCH THE FIRST BALL

KITCHIN GAINS LITTLE ON CRAIG

Buncombe Man's Lead Cut Less Than 35 In Primaries of Saturday

Ten counties held primaries Saturday. Three of the ten are in Mr. Kitchin's district and the others in neutral territory. Eight counties cast a total of 66 votes, and of these Mr. Craig received 12.12; Mr. Kitchin 42.34, and Mr. Horne 11.54. Including the counties of Union and Onslow, which held their primaries earlier in the week, but have not been tabulated, the net result of the week's balloting is that Mr. Craig still leads in the gubernatorial race by 29.49 votes.

Chief Executive as Pitcher and Mayor Johnson as Catcher.

FIRST GAME MONDAY

President Washington Asked to Strike at Governor's Curves. Governor Robert B. Glenn, who is one of the most ardent baseball enthusiasts in North Carolina, and who in his younger days was something of an athlete himself, has been asked to pitch the first ball at the opening of the Eastern Carolina League season here next Monday. Mayor James E. Johnson has been asked to catch the first ball, and President Tom Washington of Wilson, has been invited to strike out.

WALKER CONFIDENT HE WON'T BE EXTRADITED

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) San Diego, Cal., June 1.—Federal Judge Cadena, at Ensenada, has again decided against William F. Walker, the absconding Connecticut treasurer, in his extradition proceedings. Senior Ramirez, attorney for Walker, has appealed from the decision to the supreme court of Mexico.

DEATH OF MR. VERNON BRITT; FUNERAL AT GARNER TODAY

Mr. Vernon Britt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Britt, died at his home, near Garner, at 2:30 o'clock, Sunday morning, death resulting from tuberculosis.

New York Thinks Bryan Can't Get More Than 613 Votes in All

New York, June 1.—Democratic politicians of New York who are opposed to the nomination of William J. Bryan at the Denver convention have figured out that, with the delegates already chosen as a basis, it will be impossible to block the Nebraskaan in the control of the convention. They assert that in addition to the 480 delegates already instructed for Bryan he cannot get more than 133 more, which is 55 less than the two-thirds required to nominate.