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BRYAN AND TAFT WILL MEET TODAY

Central Figures in Meeting of Lakes to the Gulf Waterway Association

MANY VISITORS IN CITY

Third Annual Convention of Lakes to the Gulf Deep Waterway Association Met in Chicago Today—Will Continue for Three Days and 5,000 Delegates Will Attend. Presidential Candidates Will be Guests of Same Banquet Table. Big Automobile Parade Friday.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Chicago, Oct. 7.—With the opening of the third annual convention of the Lakes to Gulf Deep Waterway Association, with presidential candidates, W. H. Taft and William Jennings Bryan as central figures, Chicago this morning will hold within its gates the biggest function of national importance that has come to the city since the republican national convention. It is to be a three-days' revel in politics and deep waterway discussion which is expected to bring not less than 5,000 delegates and 30,000 visitors to the city. Many arrived on special trains yesterday and the remainder will come in today.

While the fourth annual banquet of the association of commerce, which takes place tonight, is technically distinct from the deep waterways convention, the presence of Taft and Bryan at the same banquet table and the invitation of upwards of 200 of the prominent guests of the convention to participate has brought it within the scope of the general program. The association of commerce and the deep waterway association are working in harmony to make the three-days' session a success.

The closing of the convention on Friday is to be signalized by a parade of 1,000 automobiles which have been pledged to the association of commerce.

LAWLESSNESS RAMPANT.

Virginia County Terrorized by Desperadoes.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Richmond, Va., Oct. 7.—Edmund W. Hubbard, commonwealth attorney for Buckingham county, last night telegraphed Governor Swanson for assistance, intimating that the outlaw situation at Arvonnia has again become serious. The request was for detectives to be hurried to the scene at once.

The exact nature of developments at Arvonnia could not be learned. It is believed that the Zimmerman-Thomas clans, supposed to have been driven beyond the borders of the county by the citizens last week, have again made their appearance in their old haunts, throwing the people into a panic by their renewed depredations.

ROBBERS MURDER NIGHT OPERATOR

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
Waycross, Ga., Oct. 7.—A. H. O'Neal, night operator of the Atlantic Coast line at Nahunta, was assassinated this morning by robbers, who rifled the cash drawer. It is supposed the tragedy occurred about 2 o'clock this morning, but it was first discovered when the crew of a train entered the office at 5 a. m. and found O'Neal lying with two bullets in the head.

Sheriff Tuten with his bloodhounds has gone to the scene and the police authorities in the neighboring towns have been notified.

O'Neal was a youth, unmarried and his home is said to have been at Ludowici, Ga.

HARRY THA WILL BE TRIED IN WHITE PLAINS

White Plains, N. Y., Oct. 7.—District Attorney Jerome lost his final fight today to have the place of trial

Mrs. Wallace Miller.



Mrs. Wallace Miller, of Newburg, N. Y., is now seeking a reconciliation with her husband who sold the household furniture to provide her with funds to go to her "soul mate." This is the second time Mrs. Miller seeks a reconciliation. She is now in Denver.

MACK THINKS NEW YORK ALL RIGHT

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Chicago, Oct. 7.—Norman E. Mack made known last night the reason upon which he bases his prediction that New York state may safely be regarded as democratic this year. Mr. Mack's statement regarding the situation in the Empire State is as follows:

"The democratic party in New York was never more united, not even in 1892, than it is this year. The state is never doubtful when the democrats stand together. With a united party we find our opponents all shot to pieces, some republicans are opposing Roosevelt; others are against Hughes, while another faction is set against Taft.

"As an instance of the union of the democratic forces, the National Democratic Club of New York City, composed of 1,400 members, made up of bankers, merchants and professional men, opposed Bryan almost to a man in 1906 and 1904.

"I am told that 95 per cent. of the club's membership is ready to support Bryan this year, and the club recently passed resolutions endorsing him, and has contributed \$2,500, with a promise to contribute a like amount later. With this situation I feel that New York is not only safe for Bryan, but there will be a democratic landslide."

KILLS WIFE, HER FATHER, HIMSELF

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 7.—J. W. Richardson, on a spree today, shot and instantly killed his wife, her father, B. T. Cromwell, who had gone to protect his daughter, and her children. And then, after killing his horse and then himself.

Richardson was about 35 years old, his wife 26 years old, and his father-in-law 65 years old. The latter, a prominent farmer and former city official of Norfolk, was a brother of Sheriff A. C. Cromwell, of Norfolk county.

of the question of Harry Thaw's alleged insanity transferred to New York county, when Supreme Court Justice Mills denied his motion and declared that the hearing must be held in Westchester county. The date of the first hearing has been set for next Monday morning at the White Plains courthouse.

PEACE NOW IS MORE PROBABLE

Turkey Will Not Fight Unless Bulgaria Invades Her Territory

AUSTRIA IS CRITICISED

Report That Prince Constantine of Greece Had Been Assassinated But Cannot be Confirmed—Military Convention Between Greece and Turkey Expected—General Conference of Powers Will be Called to Discuss the Questions Involved—Diplomatic Circles in England Reject the Idea of War.

(Special to The Times)
Constantinople, Oct. 7.—The report that Prince Constantine of Greece, was assassinated while watching army maneuvers, was circulated here today but it is impossible to verify the rumor.

The warlike aspect of the situation is greatly lessened today despite the fact that the minister of war continues to transport machine guns and munitions of war towards the frontier. His excuse for this is that of a defensive measure and not one of aggression. Unless the Bulgarian army crosses the frontier and invades Turkish territory war is not imminent.

It is evident from the trend of evidence that Turkey is anxiously awaiting action of the powers. Germany is the cynosure of European eyes by reason of her attitude of friendliness toward Austria-Hungary, whilst the latter empire is acquiring Turkish territory by casual annexation. Today sees Austria-Hungary's rule begin in Bosnia and Herzegovina and the results this may provoke are large.

A military convention between Greece and Turkey is expected as it has been become known a conference was held some weeks ago looking to this end. However, this does not have a powerful effect either one way or another. The most influential factor of the day is the action of Austria-Hungary. But for the action of the aged ruler Emperor Franz Josef, the situation would be much clearer. Serbia is vitally interested in Bosnia and Herzegovina through racial ties and the transition of government over the provinces may provoke this nation to action. Serbia's army is held in readiness. It is reported here, for quick use in case the government sees fit to take warlike action. Despite the fact that the people of the nation are excited and reported to be in favor of war, it is positive that nothing will be done for some days at least.

Conference Assured.
Paris, Oct. 7.—An international conference to consider the Bulgarian situation is assured. It will be proposed by Great Britain, France and Russia, acting together, instead of by one power. These three powers are in complete accord on the principal of an immediate conference; Italy is in favor of it, and even Germany is expected to acquiesce.

Papers Denounce Austria.
London, Oct. 7.—Excitement here over the near eastern crisis continues unabated in the newspapers, but the diplomatic world rejects the idea of war. Turkey has nothing to gain by war, while the young Turks know that if war was not quickly and decisively successful they would lose everything they have won. No big power has any interest in provoking war at present.

The English press, sublimely unimpaired of Egypt's recent history, are terribly severe in their comments on Austria's treachery and bad faith in annexing Bosnia and Herzegovina.

King Ferdinand is said to be amazed at English hostility to Bulgarian independence. The English papers unite in denouncing Austria.

MR. W. L. SOLOMON DEAD.

Passes Away at the Home of His Brother Yesterday Afternoon.

Mr. W. L. Solomon died at the home of his brother, Mr. Henry Solomon, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He leaves two brothers and one sister: Mr. George Solomon, of Cincinnati, and Mr. Henry Solomon, of Raleigh, and Miss Lillie Solomon, of Raleigh. The funeral will take place at the residence of his brother on Marks street, at 4 o'clock.

GREAT RECEPTION ACCORDED KERN

15,000 People Greet The Candidate at Winston-Salem

HE MADE A GREAT HIT

Greetings Given to Mr. Kern by Winston-Salem Have Never Been Surpassed in North Carolina—Magnificent Crowds Hear Him Make Two Speeches—Nearly a Thousand People Meet Him at Station—Democratic Party for the Many, Republicans for the Few.

(Special to The Times.)

Winston-Salem, N. C., Oct. 7.—Hon. John Worth Kern, of Indiana, has been the city's guest today and the warmth of greetings accorded him by the citizens of the Piedmont section of North Carolina has never been surpassed in Winston-Salem. Thousands have listened to his addresses and have been delighted with the man and his message. He is a forcible speaker who says the things worth while and the cause he represents is stronger because of his visit to the twin city.

Mr. Kern made a triumphant entry into the twin city from Greensboro this morning at half-past nine o'clock. He was met at the station by the majority of the members of the democratic club, numbering nearly a thousand men, by the marshals, reception committee and a large number of other patriotic citizens who wished to see the next vice president of the United States.

Mr. Kern spoke first at the court house and then at the fair grounds. At both places immense audiences greeted him. In discussing the issues, Mr. Kern said:

"The democratic party in this campaign stands for the many and the republican party for the favored few. He applied this statement to various issues of campaign. His tribute to Bryan was magnificent and aroused much enthusiasm. His presentation of issues was especially forceful and convincing. The reception accorded Kern here today was greatest in history of Winston-Salem.

He made a wonderful hit during the day. He was heard by over fifteen thousand people.

MANY NEW CORPORATIONS.

Charter Mill Busy Today—Six Brand New Companies in the Field.

Articles of incorporation were today filed in the office of the secretary of state for the following new corporations:

Davis-Woodson-Bushnell Company, Greensboro. The new corporation will buy and sell feed-stuffs and provisions. Authorized capital is \$50,000. Paid in, \$3,600. The incorporators are R. W. Davis, R. H. Woodson, Jr., and C. L. Bushnell.

National Afro-American Civic League, Inc., of Wadesboro. Object, to improve home conditions of negroes and work with the whites in the development of industries. No capital stock. R. J. Beverly, T. T. Henry, and J. J. Wilson are incorporators.

Patrick-Masteller Co., of Hickory, general merchandise. Authorized capital stock, \$100,000; paid in \$10,000. The incorporators are J. H. Patrick, C. L. and G. D. Masteller.

Climax Barber Shop Co., of Winston-Salem. Object, to conduct a barber shop and bath rooms. Authorized capital is \$10,000. Paid in capital, \$4,000. Incorporators, S. A. Hutchens, C. S. Hutchens, and others.

Board of Education of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, Inc., of Winston-Salem. This is an organization to foster and build up the educational institutions of the church. No capital stock. The incorporators are J. W. Hood, M. R. Franklin, A. Walters, and others.

The Tar Valley Manufacturing Co., of Hargrove. This company is chartered to do nearly everything in the line of commercial activity. The total authorized capital stock is \$75,000. Paid in capital, \$10,000. W. D. and W. R. Kimball and Arthur J. Honeycutt are the incorporators.

Commercial Bar Silver.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)
New York, Oct. 7.—Commercial bar silver, 51 1/2; advance of 1/4; Mexican dollars, 45.

Mrs. Silvey Thomas.



Mrs. Silvey Thomas, daughter of the Atlanta millionaire, William A. Speer, who eloped with her father's chauffeur, but was separated from him and is being taken abroad by her mother.

AERIAL SHIPS FOR THE NAVY

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Washington, D. C., Oct. 7.—Aerial navigation as an auxiliary to the naval service is contemplated in specifications for four flying machines, for which proposals will be asked. The specifications require each machine shall carry two persons of a combined weight of 350 pounds, a sufficient supply of fuel at the start for a flight of at least 200 miles for a period of four hours at an average speed of not less than forty miles an hour and to remain continuously in the air during the trial.

They are to be so constructed as to be able to alight without damage, on land or water, to float on the latter when at rest, without wetting any of the air supporting or controlling areas, and to be able to rise without appreciable delay, under their own power, without the aid of special starting apparatus.

Builders must guarantee the delivery at the naval academy at Annapolis, of at least one machine within five months after the signing of the contract; the remaining three in eight months. Thirty days are to be allowed for makers trials, adjustment, and official trials.

TELEPHONE GIRL CALLS POLICE

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 7.—"Central call the —! Don't kill me! For God's sake don't kick me any more, and take two lives!"

A telephone girl heard this shriek over the wires at 4 o'clock this morning and then the receiver was snapped down. She hunted up the source of the call, notified Central police station, and Policemen Williamson and Myers were rushed to the saloon of A. S. Hueslein in Grant street. There they found Mrs. Minnie Hueslein, wife of the proprietor of the saloon, lying unconscious, her husband, Jesse McGeary, formerly coroner of Allegheny county, and another man in an intoxicated condition. The woman was removed to the hospital, where it is said it is doubtful if her life can be saved. If it is, that of her unborn child will pay the penalty.

The three men are locked up pending an investigation.

Limit Height of Skyscrapers.

(Special to The Times)
London, Oct. 7.—Bar silver, quiet at 23 15-16d advance 1-16d.

BAD ACCIDENTS TO AUTOMOBILES

One Car Catches Fire and Another Turns Over Into Shrubbery

HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Two Bad Accidents on Vanderbilt Cup Course in Practice Spins. One Car Catches Fire and Threatens to Burn up and Another Skids Into Shrubbery and Turns Over. Drivers Have Narrow Escapes—Occupants of Latter Car Pinned Out, But Not Hurt Much.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

New York, Oct. 7.—Two bad accidents occurred today at the dangerous "S" turn on the Vanderbilt cup course near Jericho, L. I., during practice spins for the elimination trials next Saturday. One car caught fire and another plunged over on its side into the shrubbery beside the road. The drivers and mechanics had narrow escapes from injury.

The Chalmers-Detroit entry, a 40-horse power car, driven by Lorimer, was going at high speed down the old Jericho turnpike. As it started around the second part of the serpentine curve the carburetor was badly jarred, and in a moment the automobile was ablaze.

The flame was dangerously near the gasoline tank and Lorimer stopped his car as quickly as he could and he and his mechanic leaped to the ground. It seemed as if the car would be wholly destroyed, but the men flung sand on the burning part of the machine and finally had the blaze out. The car, although badly damaged, will be repaired in time for the races on Saturday.

A half hour after the accident to the Chalmers-Detroit entry, Harry Tuttle, driving the big Stoddard-Dayton car, was spinning along the turnpike and swept around the "S" turn. The car was hardly around more than half of the curve when the heading on the right rear tire gave way.

The big racing machine swerved to one side of the road, skidded into the shrubbery and then turned over. Tuttle was flung out of the car and his mechanic went over his head. Both men landed in the grass and neither was hurt. The machine was damaged, but can be repaired.

AVIATOR HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 7.—Roy Knabenschuh, the Toledo aviator, had a narrow escape with his machinist, George Deuster, from being dashed to pieces on the streets of Pittsburg while making a trip over the city in his airship. When about half a mile in the air, directly over the high Frick building, one of the wires of the second cylinder of his machine broke and the airship became unmanageable. About 100,000 people were by this time watching the airship, and they wildly applauded the dipping and twisting of the great winged thing, thinking Knabenschuh was giving them a free exhibition.

It was not until one of the men in the basket was seen to creep over the edge of the basket like a fly and hang suspended from some invisible wire that the crowd knew there was anything wrong. The human fly who was performing this feat was Deuster, who made himself a human ballast, hanging to the broken wire to steady the hanging, somersaulting, dipping, runaway airship. Hanging this way, Deuster was carried much of the distance back to Schenley park, three miles away, where the ship was landed safely.

Limit Height of Skyscrapers.
New York, Oct. 7.—Thomas J. Brady, of the building code revision commission, has sent to the aldermen a recommendation decided upon by the commission that in the future buildings erected in this city shall be restricted to a height of 300 feet, unless the structures front a park or plaza, in which case the height is not to exceed 350 feet.