

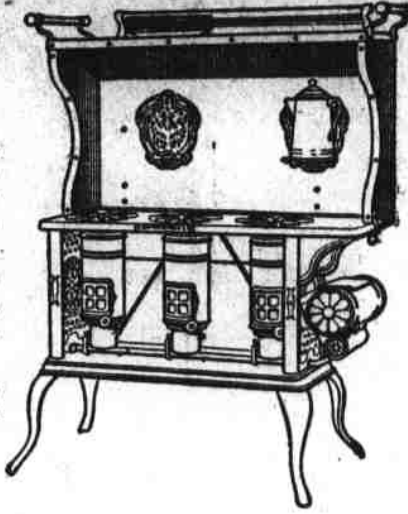
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BRITISH BOAT SEIZED

On Information That it Was Aiding Revolutionists

The Ethelwold, a Small British Steamer, Seized on Advices From Washington and Will be Investigated.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

New York, July 1.—An inspection of the Ethelwold, a small steamer lying off Twenty-eighth street, South Brooklyn, which was seized by United States customs officers under orders from Washington on suspicion that she was about to engage in a filibustering expedition against the republic of Santo Domingo, is to be made to-day.

The order to detain the steamer was received from Assistant Secretary McHarg, of the department of commerce and labor at Washington, and was promptly executed by William Loeb, collector of the port of New York.

The Washington advices stated that M. Sannon, minister from Hayti, had complained to the state department that the British steamship Ethelwold was believed to have been engaged by Jose St. Pierre Giordani and General Juan Jimenez, San Domingans, to aid in a filibustering expedition.

The engineer and two members of the crew declared that Captain Brown and all others in authority were ashore. They said their destination was Sydney, Australia, and that their cargo was composed of oil. The vessel was not allowed to sail.

IMPROVED CONDITIONS IN MANY ACTIVITIES

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Washington, July 1.—Comparative May figures of leading commercial movements as reported to the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor indicate an improved condition in transportation, manufactures, and building activities.

Live stock arrivals at seven leading primary markets were 2,896,767 head, compared with 3,232,066 in 1908; grain receipts at 15 leading markets, 40,356,191 bushels, against 44,142,591; shipments of anthracite coal from eastern producing territory, 5,063,873 tons.

Takings of cotton by American, including Canadian, spinners aggregated 344,974 bales, compared with 322,307 bales reported for May, 1908. The value of building permits granted in 104 cities was \$94,599,094.

A Night Rider's Raid.

The worst night riders are calomel, croton oil or aloes pills. Not so with Dr. King's New Life Pills. They never distress or inconvenience, but always cleanse the system, curing Colds, Headache, Constipation, Malaria, &c. at all druggists.

Another Quake at Messina.

Rome, July 1.—Another earthquake shock was felt today at Messina, Reggio, and Miloto. At Messina ruins of buildings were shaken down and the people who had returned after the fire were again driven from the city into the open. Many of the superstitious have fled from the city.

THE FOURTH AT APEX THE DUFFEY CASE Will Celebrate the Day Monday Will Defy the Mayor's Order in Case

Apex is Making Big Preparations to Celebrate the Fourth—Will be Speaking, Two Games of Ball and Minor Attractions.

(Special to The Times.)

Apex, July 1.—According to its custom for the past several years Apex is making preparations for a big fourth of July celebration. The 4th falling on Sunday, Apex will celebrate Monday, the 5th of July. There will be speaking, two games of baseball and all the minor attractions that make for a good time on this, the chief holiday of the year. The speaking this year will take a practical turn that will prove of material benefit, not only to the people of this section of Wake county, but to the entire county and to Chat-ham and other adjoining counties from which the people will come, as well.

Through the efforts of Congressman E. W. Pou Apex has been fortunate in securing the attendance of Mr. L. E. Boykin, road expert, of the office of public roads of the U. S. Department of Agriculture of Washington, D. C. Mr. Boykin will deliver a practical and authoritative address on the subject of "Good Roads" and "Road Building." This is a subject to which the progressive farming element of western Wake county is giving much thought, and Mr. Boykin's address will attract a large number of thoughtful men and will be of much practical benefit to the entire county. He is one of the best posted men in the federal government service on this subject and writes that it gives him much pleasure to come to North Carolina and to Wake county and to speak from a subject that is of such vast importance to all of the material interests of one of the best states in the Union.

The athletic spirit of Apex has recently taken on new life in the organization of the Apex Athletic Association, which is supported by the people of Apex for the purpose of enabling the young men to have a baseball team that will reflect credit upon the town. The president of this association is Dr. R. W. Johnson, and he has made arrangements for two games of ball with the Jonesboro team, one in the morning and one in the afternoon. Jonesboro has a splendid team and both games will be well played and afford the crowds that will attend splendid entertainment.

All the minor attractions are in the hands of an experienced and tried committee and will be well gotten up.

Invitations to be present to hear the speech of Mr. Boykin have been extended to the county commissioners, the road supervisors and others. It is certain that a large crowd will be present, and this 4th of July celebration will take high rank among the similar celebrations at Apex of the past.

HEAVY RAIN AND WIND.

Terrific Storms in Texas and Trains Delayed.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Kingsville, Tex., July 1.—Passengers arriving here on the St. Louis B. & M. train, No. 2, report passing through a terrific wind and rain storm between Brownsville and Raymondville.

Hard rains fell in that territory all day yesterday and the country is inundated in many places. The train stopped several times to remove trees that had blown down across the rails. Many telegraph poles were felled.

At Harrison, Tex., 25 miles north of Brownsville, two store buildings and the residence of Judge Lockhart were wrecked, but so far as known no loss of life resulted. Several buildings at Raymondville were damaged by the wind, which at times almost reached cyclonic proportions.

Wire communication with local railroad offices south of Sarita, Tex., has been cut off. The storm extended a considerable distance up the gulf coast.

Padre Island, adjacent to Point Isabel, is under water. Small craft were blown out to sea and many of them sunk. The small one-story round house of the Rio Grande branch of the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico Railway at Point Isabel was blown over.

Wright's Pupil Successful.

Rome, July 1.—Lieutenant Caldererra, who was a pupil of Wilbur Wright and who was badly hurt while experimenting with an aeroplane on May 6, has repaired the machine and made two successful flights today.

Death of an Infant.

News was received in this city today of the death of Lewis Dunn Carroll, the seven-months old infant of Dr. and Mrs. J. William Carroll, of Wallace, N. C. Death came at six o'clock yesterday afternoon and the funeral services were conducted this afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Carroll have hosts of friends in Raleigh, who sympathize with them in their bereavement.

Commissioner Bingham, After An All-night Session With Deputy Commissioners Has Decided to Defy the Mayor's Order.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

New York, July 1.—Police Commissioner Theodore A. Bingham was summarily removed this afternoon by Mayor McClellan after he had refused to carry out the mayor's orders for a reorganization of the department as a result of the Duffy case.

New York, July 1.—Police Commissioner Bingham, after an all-night conference with Deputy Commissioners Woods, Hanson, and Bugher, and his secretary, Daniel Slattery, decided, it was announced today, to defy the mayor's order in the Duffy case, to dismiss Slattery and Deputy Hanson and thus force the mayor to remove him.

Commissioner Bingham, at the end of the conference was asked if he had anything to say concerning the mayor's order.

"I have nothing to say," he replied. "My answer will be on the mayor's desk at 10 o'clock this morning."

The Duffy case, which led to the shake-up in the police department, dates back to June 16, 1907, when George B. Duffy, a young man, was arrested, charged with breaking into a Brooklyn saloon. He was arraigned before a magistrate and prominent people, among them Catholic church dignitaries, testified in his behalf. He was discharged, but after that he was apparently a marked man, for three subsequent arrests followed. Duffy was charged in these latter arrests with being a suspicious person and also with being implicated in robberies near his home in Brooklyn. The police were never able to prove anything against him. Duffy was photographed and his Bertillon measurements taken for the rogue's gallery, and the police refused to surrender the photograph and measurements when he was acquitted. Supreme Court Justice Gaynor became interested in the boy's case and wrote a letter to Mayor McClellan, purporting to expose the police system of persecution and demanding the removal of Police Commissioner Bingham. Police Captain Kuhne became involved in the case and is now serving a term in jail for contempt of court.

MRS. TYLER WANTS DIVORCE.

Husband Deserted Her and She Asks Divorce on Grounds Non-support.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

Reno, Nev., July 1.—Helen B. Tyler, whose father is Brigadier General Brett, of the United States army, stationed with his command in the Philippine Islands, and the wife of Francis J. Tyler, son of Colonel Tyler, of the United States army, now stationed at Washington, and a direct descendant of former President Tyler, has filed suit for divorce in the district court, alleging failure to provide and desertion.

Mrs. Tyler sets up in her complaint that she was married in Washington late in December, 1907. On the first day of January, 1908, her husband deserted her without cause and has refused to live with her since. He has failed to provide her with any of the necessities of life. Mrs. Tyler's husband is a stock broker in New York City.

This young woman of striking brunette type, has for some weeks been figuring conspicuously among the divorce colony of this city and by her frequent appearance in the streets in a flaring crimson cape and hood she has come to be known as the "little red riding hood" of Reno.

A DANGEROUS FIRE.

Blaze Starts in Big Chemical Building and 3,000 People Are Panic-Stricken.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

New York, July 1.—A fire fraught with unusual danger started this morning on the top floor of the four-story building at No. 82 John street. The blaze started in the laboratory of the Western Chemical Company and began with an explosion of chemicals which shook the building from cellar to roof.

Adjoining 82 John street is the Woodbridge building, an 18-story structure, holding about 3,000 people. Many of the occupants became panic-stricken and the building was emptied in short order.

The firemen were compelled to wage their fight against the flames at long range for fear of exploding reports and vats of gases and chemicals.

Only One Cardinal.

(By Leased Wire to The Times)

New York, July 1.—It was stated today on authority which purported to emanate from Rome that Archbishop Farley would not be given the red hat of the cardinalate until Cardinal Gibbons' death. It was said that the pope has no intention of having more than one cardinal in America.

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U. S. bonds, par	225,000.00	Capital	100,000.00
Loans and Investments	787,891.38	Surplus and profits	180,738.07
Cash	79,609.93	Circulation	100,000.00
Due from banks	152,894.89	Bills payable	40,000.00
		Deposits	824,688.13
Total	\$1,245,396.20	Total	\$1,245,396.20

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