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## UNIVERSAL PEACE WAS THE THEME

### Secretary Knox, in Commencement Address, Predicts Universal Peace For Future

## WARS SHALL CEASE

**Mr. Knox's Speech Was a Review of the Diplomatic History of the Country and an Outline of the Policies to be Followed in the Future by the State Department—Says the Future Holds in Store a Time When Wars Shall Cease, When the Nations of the World Shall Realize a Binding Federation.**

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Philadelphia, Pa., June 15—Un-  
iversal peace, toward which the United States is leading through its policy of international arbitration, was predicted today by Philander C. Knox, secretary of state, in his address at the commencement exercises of the University of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Knox's speech was a review of the diplomatic history of the United States and an outline of the policies to be followed in the future by the state department. In it the secretary pledged the republic to a continuance of the policy of further arbitration.

After reviewing the affairs of nations in which the United States has taken a part, Secretary Knox in conclusion said:

"It is evident that the future holds in store a time when wars shall cease; when the nations of the world shall realize a federation as real and as vital as that now subsisting between the component parts of a single state; when by deliberate international conjunction the strong shall universally help the weak and when the corporate righteousness of the world shall compel the unrighteousness to disappear. That day will be the millennium, of course, but in some sense and degree it will surely be realized in this dispensation of mortal time."

"It is for this country to maintain its historic policy and attitude, to be true to this greatest duty of a nation, which is entirely consistent with all its internal duties, to advance the time which the whole course of history and all divine prophecies and revelations alike presage."

## ROOSEVELT POPULAR IN THE STEERAGE

On board the steamship Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, June 16, via the steamship Murestania and Cape Race, N. E., by wireless—Theodore Roosevelt, speeding homeward, has aroused great enthusiasm among the second class and the steerage passengers.

The former president's popularity among the second class passengers was shown Monday at the reception held on the sun deck which was decorated with sunning, which attracted little attention among the first class passengers. The second class people were admitted first.

The captain took Mr. Roosevelt on a tour of deck, and the ex-president shook hands right and left. He was received with more enthusiasm than at the reception, which was over quickly, apparently to his surprise.

## WILLIAMS ON TRIAL

### Case Against N. Glenn Williams For Conspiracy to Defraud

**Bought Stamps and Resold Them—One Witness Prejudiced—"Would Like to Send Him to Pen."**

(Special to The Times.) Greensboro, June 15—The testimony of government witnesses in the conspiracy case against N. Glenn Williams and Thomas and Eliza Craft was concluded yesterday and the defense immediately began introducing witnesses for the purpose of showing antipathy towards N. Glenn Williams on the part of government witnesses, especially relative to the evidence given by J. J. Kiger, a former postmaster at Williams postoffice.

Kiger testified that Williams, the defendant, once proposed to buy stamps from him and then resell them; that the sales of the office might justify its continuance. He said Williams offered to pay him a stipulated salary, which he refused. Asked on cross-examination if he were not an enemy of N. Glenn Williams, the witness said: "Mr. Williams has seemed opposed to me at times." He denied an assertion of counsel to the effect that he had attempted to prejudice people against Williams.

A witness for the defense testified that on one occasion Kiger remarked, "I'll be d— if I don't send him to the penitentiary if I have to swear to a lie." He was also quoted as stating on another occasion, "I would be willing to go to the penitentiary and carry water to Williams provided I could get him there."

The last witness of the day, Thomas Craft, defendant, denied any connection or knowledge of a conspiracy to defraud the government. He also denied knowledge of Williams' stamp transactions in New York.

## NEW BERN NEWS.

### Law Enforcement League Organized—Rev. A. C. Schuler Made President—To Enforce Prohibition—New Chief of Police Needed.

(Special to The Times.) New Bern, N. C., June 15—In the court house yesterday afternoon a large representation of citizens met and effected a temporary organization of a "Citizens Law Enforcement League." Rev. A. C. Schuler was elected temporary president and J. J. Baxter secretary and treasurer.

## CONCORD NEWS.

### Death of Prof. Lentz of Graded School—Had Been Superintendent for a Number of Years—More Rain—Bad on Crops—Street Railway.

(Special to The Times.) Concord, N. C., June 15—Prof. J. D. Lentz, superintendent of Concord graded schools, died at 7 a. m. Sunday morning and was laid to rest in Oakwood cemetery yesterday at 6 p. m. Prof. Lentz had been connected with the Concord school for several years, was first principal of high school, was elected principal of the graded schools, this position he held with credit to himself and the entire city, succeeding Prof. Walter Thompson to the superintendency.



## SPEAKING AT AUBURN

### Democratic Candidates Greeted by a Large Crowd Last Night

Seventy-one Voters Outside of the Candidates Heard Democratic Speeches at Auburn Last Night—Great Deal of Enthusiasm Displayed.

By actual count there were seventy-one voters besides the speakers at the meeting held at Auburn last night. The crowd was almost solid for the regular or old ticket, and from all reports that ticket will carry that place by two or three to one.

Mr. William B. Jones, candidate for the senate, was the first speaker of the evening, and his speech aroused considerable enthusiasm. He devoted considerable time to the charges that have been brought against him by the reformers, and it is said that his speech was most effective. He also skowed up the political record of Mr. Bailey. Upon the conclusion of his sledge-hammer blows, he was greeted with great applause.

Mr. J. W. Hinesdale made a short, but telling speech, mostly dealing with the attacks that have been made upon the management of the county home. When he referred to the helpless, aged and sick people dependent upon the county's bounty, and the duty we owe them, a pin could have been heard fall in the room, and when he finished his speech was roundly applauded.

Mr. George Mitchiner, candidate for clerk of court, made a short talk, dealing with matters relating to the county officers. The judge was in good form and his clear exposition of some heretofore mooted questions, interspersing his remarks with wit and humor.

Upon the conclusion of the candidates' speeches, Mr. Hamilton, familiarly known as Sergeant Hamilton, arose and spoke about the duty the young men owed to the tried and true democrats and urged them to support straight democrats. The words of this veteran of the war, who bears the marks of many a battle, were listened to with great interest by the audience.

## FLOOD IN BERLIN.

### Cloudburst Strikes the City and Does One Million Dollars Worth of Damage.

(By Cable to The Times.) Berlin, June 15—Investigation of the havoc wrought in Berlin by the cloudburst which last night flooded the city today showed that the damage is more than \$1,000,000. Several buildings were wrecked by flood and fire started by lightning. The twenty persons struck by bolts were nearly all today declared out of danger.

## ROBBED RESTAURANT KEEPER.

### (By Leased Wire to The Times.) Jersey City, N. J., June 15—August Heikel, a wealthy restaurant proprietor, was held up by a man and negro early today, struck over the head with a hammer, and dragged into a hallway. There \$25 was taken from his pocket and he was left dying.

## KNOCKOUT BLOW AGAINST RACING.

### (By Leased Wire to The Times.) Albany, N. Y., June 15—Governor Hughes today signed the latest new anti-racing bill recently passed by the legislature. These bills probably mean the end of horse racing in New York state after the present season.

## WESTERN UNION CUTS OUT BUCKET SHOPS.

### (By Leased Wire to The Times.) St. Louis, Mo., June 15—Apparently the death knell of bucket shops in St. Louis was sounded today when the Western Union Telegraph Company shut off its quotation service to all such concerns. At the same time the order which was enforced here went into effect in other leading cities throughout the country.

## MORGAN COMING HOME.

### (By Cable to The Times.) Southampton, Eng., June 15—J. P. Morgan sailed today on the Adriatic for New York. Other passengers were Robert Bacon, American ambassador to France, and the Duke of Sutherland.

## REGENCY BILL.

### (By Cable to The Times.) London, June 15—Premier Asquith today introduced in parliament a regency bill, nominating Queen Mary as regent in the event of the Duke of Cornwall reaching the throne before his majority.

## LORIMER A WITNESS.

### (By Leased Wire to The Times.) Chicago, June 15—Announcement was made today that Senator Lorimer would be called as a witness in the trial of Lee O'Neil Brown for bribery.



## FLOOD STAGE REACHED

### Streams All Over the State Swollen by Rain

Roanoke, Cape Fear and Tar Rivers Reach the Flood Stage—The Rise Continues—Flood Warnings Being Sent Out—Seven Inches of Rain Have Fallen This Month.

The local weather bureau station has been sending out flood warnings today, particularly to points along the Cape Fear, Roanoke and Tar rivers.

The Cape Fear is expected to reach the flood stage of 38 feet today, and will go to 45 feet by tomorrow at Fayetteville.

The Roanoke has passed the 30-foot mark at Weldon and will go to 40 by tomorrow.

The Tar river has risen 26 feet at Tarboro, which is 6 feet above the flood stage, and is 17 feet high at Greenville, being 2 feet above the flood stage.

All these are based upon reports this morning but the continued rain will, of course, increase the height of the water. The above figures were based upon the conditions as would exist if it rained no more, but as it continues, it is hard to tell just how high the waters will go. The more it rains the higher the floods.

The deficiency in rainfall for this year has been wiped out this month, and is now on the plus side of the column. Over 7 inches of rain have fallen this month, and it has rained every day for the past eight days.

## RAILROAD CHARTERED.

### Will Run From Roberdell No. 1 in Richmond County to Gibson, a Distance of Twenty-four Miles.

The Rockingham Railroad Company was chartered today for the purpose of constructing and operating a railroad from Roberdell No. 1 via Rockingham to Gibson, a distance of twenty-four miles. The authorized capital stock is \$150,000 and begins business with \$26,800 subscribed. The directors of the road are: J. P. Leak, W. C. Leak, M. L. Hinson, H. C. Dockery, W. L. Parsons and W. I. Everett.

## DRUNKENNESS CAUSES FIRE AND DEATHS

### Twelve Hungarians are Buried in Burning of Shack While Eight Escape

## CHARRED BODIES FOUND

### Inhabitants Set Fire to Building by Dropping Ignited Matches on Floor—Carnival and Celebration at Niagara Falls the Beginning of the Trouble—Members of Ontario Power Company—Eight Lives Saved—Suffocated and Charred Bodies Are Found—Result of a Night of Carousing.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Niagara Falls, N. Y., June 15—Twelve Hungarians were burned to death in a shack at Falls View, Ont., early today. Eight others were badly burned and are in a Niagara Falls hospital. The origin of the fire is yet unknown, but it is presumed was caused by carelessness following an all night carousal, following a carnival and celebration at Niagara Falls, Ont. The men were employees of the Ontario Power Company and were sleeping like rats in a poorly constructed tenement.

The foreigners whose lives were snuffed out by fire were members of the day gang of the power company. When the night shift relieved the day gang many of the latter, journeyed to Niagara Falls, Ont., where a carnival was being held. The report is that when they reached their tenement at Falls View shortly after midnight, they were in a bad state of intoxication. Some matches were ignited and dropped on the floor, setting fire to the frame partitions in the building. In a few minutes the flames burst through the roof of the poorly constructed building and trapped the half stupefied foreigners in their small rooms. They were suffocated by the dense smoke and flames and were frightfully charred in the burning building. The eight who managed to escape before the fire consumed the building were fearfully burned and more deaths are likely to result from the fire.

Falls View is a small and inaccessible spot for up on the cliffs of the frontier just behind the Horseshoe Falls. Word of the catastrophe reached the authorities of Niagara Falls but before help arrived the twelve men had been consumed in the flames.

The attention of the rescuers were turned to caring for those who were suffering from burns.

## AMERICAN HORSES IN THE RUNNING.

(By Cable to The Times.) Ascot, Eng., June 15—American horses were again prominent at the second day's running of the Ascot races today. The Visitors' handicap \$1,500 was won by Larnach's Cuck of the Walk. Walker's Gera was second while The Valet, owned by Louis Winans, of Baltimore, was third.

## CLOSING EXERCISES WEST POINT ACADEMY

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) West Point, N. Y., June 15—With impressive exercises by the battle monument, overlooking the Hudson at one of its most historic spots, 32 young men were graduated from West Point today and became second lieutenants in the United States army.

The orator of the day was Secretary of War Dickinson, who in his address, warned the young men against the danger to the republic of one man rule and declared that forgetfulness of the constitution marked the beginning of the republic's end.

Brigadier General Howe, commanding the department of the east, also spoke. Cadet Frederick S. Strong, who was appointed to the academy by President Roosevelt, graduated as No. 1, leading his class.

Cadet Allen R. Edwards will receive his diploma on July 1, having recently been ordered to remain at the academy until then. Though court-martialed for trouble with an instructor, he suffered no loss of standing or rank.

A man can talk himself into believing all the things he can't say, body else.