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## NEW SCHOOL FOR TEACHERS IN THE WEST

Bill Introduced by Martin of Buncombe Establish Teachers' Training School

### BILLS FOR RALEIGH

**Judge of Wake Introduces Bill to Authorize Raleigh to Issue Bonds for Public Improvements.** Also to Reimburse the City for the Expenses of the Standard Oil Trial. Many Anti-Beer Petitions. Bill to Protect the Forests of the State from Fire—Bill to Codify Law Regarding Mental Anxious Suits.

The senate was in session only 25 minutes today, the matter of greatest interest being the introduction by Senator Martin of Buncombe, of a bill providing for the establishing of a teachers' training school in western North Carolina. The bill authorizes the state board of education to establish a school for training white male and female teachers and carries an appropriation of \$25,000 for buildings and equipment, conditioned upon the county or community where it is located pledging at least a like amount. It also carries an appropriation of \$10,000 annually for maintenance and appoints two trustees each from the eighth, ninth, and tenth congressional districts.

About a dozen bills were ratified and nearly twice this number came in a message from the house and were all appropriately referred, except the bill abolishing the police commission of Asheville which, by request, was placed on the calendar and passed, and was ordered enrolled for ratification.

Senator Brown of Columbus introduced an important bill to regulate the time of opening and closing the polls, and a bill of general interest was introduced by Senator London of Chatham, to codify the law regarding mental anxious suits against telegraph companies.

Senator Cobb of Robeson moved to postpone the special order for considering the bill establishing Hoke county from tomorrow at noon until Thursday, but his motion failed to carry, by a vote of 27 to 10. The report of the conference committee on the bill relating to hunting in Alamance county was adopted and the bill passed and was ordered enrolled for ratification.

### PROCEEDINGS OF SENATE.

The senate met at 12 o'clock, President Newland presiding, and Rev. Mr. Eubanks offering prayer.

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## PRESIDENT WILL VISIT SOUTH AND WEST

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, Jan. 30—The itinerary of President Taft is now being prepared. His first trip will begin the second week in February, when he will go to Springfield, Ill., to attend the Lincoln Memorial celebration. He will stop off in Columbus, Ohio. He will return to Washington February 13, but March 8 he leaves for Atlanta, where he will speak before the Southern Commercial congress.

Returning the president will stop at Nashville and Chattanooga, going from Chattanooga to Cincinnati. Mr. Taft will remain in his home city three or four days and will then make a short visit to Cleveland on his way to Washington.

No engagements have been made that will interfere with the president's summer at Beverly, but it is understood he is considering a journey to Alaska. An invitation to be the guest of honor at the Kansas State Fair at Hutchinson late in September has been accepted.



Miss Dorothy Arnold, daughter of a rich New York importer, who has mysteriously disappeared from her home. The missing girl is twenty-five years old and is a niece of a late justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, Rufus W. Peckham. On December 12th Miss Arnold left her home on a shopping tour, and though every effort was made to locate her, she dropped out of sight as completely as though swallowed by the grave. Her disappearance is one of the most mysterious that the police of New York had to cope with in years.

dersonville to issue bonds to pay floating indebtedness.

Authorize levy of a special tax by Brunswick county.

Amend the charter of Wilson. Appoint cotton-weigher at Middlesex, Nash county.

Grade and lay out road to Nathalie station, Swain county.

Enable commissioners of Jackson county to improve stock law.

Amend charter of Greensboro. Relief of clerk of Randolph.

Prevent donations by domestic fowls in Catawba and Guilford.

Validate the election of justices of the peace of Alleghany.

Resolution inviting Hon. H. S. zens of Union county against the sale of near-beer and keeping and serving liquor by clubs.

Rescue of Bertie: From 42 citizens of Merryhill township, Bertie county, against near-beer.

**New Bills Introduced.**

Brown of Columbus: Regulate the time of opening and closing polls.

Reinhart of Lincoln: For drainage of lowlands of Potts creek, Lincoln and Catawba counties.

Martin of Buncombe: Establish teachers' training school in western North Carolina; also fix time for holding courts in the 15th district.

Baggett of Harnett: Allow commissioners of Sampson to appropriate sum for Confederate monument.

Cotten of Pitt: Allow commissioners of Pitt to issue bonds to build a courthouse and jail.

Starbuck of Forsyth: Amend charter of Salem.

London of Chatham: Codify law regarding mental anxious suits.

Gardner of Cleveland: Authorize commissioners of Kings Mountain to pay off school debt.

**No Postponement of Hoke County Matter.**

Senator Cobb of Robeson moved for a postponement of the special order of considering the matter of establishing Hoke county from Tuesday at noon until Thursday at noon. He gave as his reason that he spent Sunday at home and his people were not prepared for the consideration tomorrow.

Senator McLaughlin said it was agreed to have the matter taken up Tuesday and he saw no reason for postponement.

Senator McDonald also opposed postponement, and Senator Cobb's motion was lost by a vote of 10 to 27.

**Courtesies Extended.**

The courtesies of the senate were extended to ex-Senators J. A. Spence, A. S. Dockery, James of Pitt, and Hill of Duplin.

**Message From the House.**

Among the 23 local bills transmitted in a message from the house was the bill abolishing the police commission of Asheville. At the request of Asheville. At the request of Asheville.

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## MOTHER ALSO MISSING

### Mystery Deepens in the Arnold Disappearance Case

Mother of Girl Missing and Another Daughter Admits That She Doesn't Know Where She is, Though Says Her Disappearance is Not Mysterious.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

New York, Jan. 30—Despite the police theory that Miss Dorothy Arnold, the missing daughter of Francis H. Arnold, the millionaire importer, is alive, John S. Keith, one of the lawyers representing the family, appended to the police report to have the laces in Central Park dragged for her body.

While this report was made, the report became current that Mrs. Arnold the mother, was mysteriously missing. Miss Marjorie Arnold, a sister of the missing girl, denied today that there was any mystery in her mother's absence, but she admitted that Mrs. Arnold is away and that she, Marjorie, did not know where she is.

There was a strong idea prevalent today that Mrs. Arnold's absence is intimately connected with the disappearance of the daughter. Some expressed the belief that she had gone abroad.

The determination to have the laces in Central Park dragged followed the positive assurance received from a woman that she had seen Dorothy Arnold at the 29th street entrance to the park in the afternoon of the day she disappeared.

Simultaneous with statement that efforts will be made to have the laces dragged in belief that the girl met with foul play during a walk through the park, was the receipt of a cablegram from Florence, Italy, saying that George Griscom, Jr., of Pittsburgh, whose name has been mentioned in the case has sailed for New York. He is accompanied by his father and mother and should arrive here next Saturday.

One of the attorneys representing the Arnold family said today that a telegram had been received from a man in Buffalo declared that a girl patient in a hospital there might be Miss Arnold and that the clue was being investigated. The telegram read:

"There is a lady here. She is sick in bed. She is insane. Come and see."

**Four Perished at Sea.**

(By Cable to The Times.)

Swansea, Wales, Jan. 30—Four men perished at sea and two others had narrow escapes from drowning when the British steamer Irena ran down the schooner Wlin in a heavy fog off Selwick. News of the disaster was brought here today when the Irena arrived in port. The steamer crashed into the schooner amidships and she rapidly became waterlogged.

## THE CONVENTION CLOSED

### Y. M. C. A. Has Ended Its Work After Profitable Sessions

One of the Best Conventions Ever Held by the Y. M. C. A. Workers is Ended—Several Very Strong Speakers Were on the Program—Well Set Plans for the Coming Year.

The Y. M. C. A. Convention is closed. It was one of the best meetings ever held in this city, its theme all the way through was for the moral uplift of the young men. It is hardly probable when there is another organization today doing the good to the young men that Y. M. C. A. is. Their convention has just closed here has been indeed profitable to those who have come into contact with it and its leaders.

**The Banquet.**

The banquet Saturday night was one of the closing scenes of the convention. It practically ended it. Some two hundred and fifty were present at the banquet table in the Mendenhall Hall, including the delegates and visitors. Dr. Robert A. Royster presided and stated that he was glad to welcome the secretaries, the delegates and others who are interested in the Y. M. C. A. movement in this city. He said he knew nothing that would mean more to Raleigh than a Y. M. C. A. and was eager to help in launching such a movement in this city.

**Hon. H. B. F. Macfarland.**

After a few preliminary remarks, Dr. Royster presented Hon. H. B. F. Macfarland, a prominent lawyer of Washington, D. C. The speaker paid quite a compliment to North Carolina and its capital, and brought forth much applause when he referred to the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence. He reviewed the life of the Y. M. C. A. movement, declaring that this organization was the leader in bringing nations, peoples, and even churches into a closer relationship. During the nineteenth century the world was a neighborhood, while the twentieth century will see it a live brotherhood. The Y. M. C. A. is a inter-church, inter-denominational and international brotherhood, believing that out of this organization have grown other organizations that bring men together in closer relationship in Christianity. He started with the beginning of the Y. M. C. A. work and showed how it had been a steady growth. Last year we spent about \$7,000,000 in buildings and for the maintenance of the organization, but next year will see the amount reach \$10,000,000.

Mr. Macfarland declared that the immigration problem which is bothering the American nation so much today, is being solved by the Y. M. C. A. He said the question is not what will become of the immigrant, but what is going to become of the Americans who receive them.

He closed with a beautiful tribute to the religious spirit, declaring that while the organization is broadening and growing so fast, it should not forget its God, that "if we do not have the religion of our fathers, we shall go down as the other nations that forgot God."

**Mr. Chas. R. Drum.**

After Mr. Macfarland had closed, Dr. Royster introduced Mr. Charles R. Drum, of the Interstate Committee. His talk, while short, was an excellent one. (Continued on Page Two.)

## CLOSING ARGUMENT IN THE CONTEMPT CASE

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Washington, Jan. 30—Closing arguments were made today in the Gompers-Mitchell-Morrison contempt case before the supreme court of the United States.

Judge Alton B. Parker of New York, concluded his argument in the United States supreme court today in the contempt proceedings against Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, of the American Federation of Labor, growing out of the injunction brought by the Buicks' Stove and Range Company of St. Louis against the labor leaders.

Judge Parker read the editorial in the Federatedist, the official organ of the American Federation of Labor, which was the basis of the charge of contempt.

"The various paragraphs in the editorial was not contempt of court because it was in keeping with the constitution which guarantees speech and free press," he said.



One of Washington's society belles, Miss Duchinda Carpenter Pennebaker. At the recent Southern Relief Ball, Miss Pennebaker led the ball, and her grace and petite beauty created quite a sensation, and was proclaimed the belle of the ball. She made her debut last winter and has since been very popular. Miss Pennebaker's mother was a Miss Carpenter, of Georgetown, and a noted belle herself in her young days. Mr. Charles Darwin Pennebaker, the father of the society girl, comes of a distinguished Kentucky family.

## FLOOD IN THE OHIO

### River Rising, With Much Damage Already Done

Lowlands of the Ohio Valley Flooded and River Rising a Foot or More an Hour—Wheeling and Other Towns in West Virginia Already Suffering Damage.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 30—With the lowlands of the Ohio Valley flooded and the Ohio River rising a foot an hour at some points and 18 inches an hour at others, the states bordering the river between Pittsburgh and Cairo, Ill., today are threatened with a devastating flood entailing a loss that may go into millions.

From Wheeling it was reported that West Virginia is facing the most damaging flood in years. The tributaries of the Ohio in West Virginia are swollen and already the town of Mannington, W. Va., has suffered a loss of \$150,000 and many buildings have been washed away.

The Monongahela River is out of its banks at places and the stream is rapidly rising, due to recent rains and the melting of snows. The Allegheny river is also on a rampage.

Fairmont, W. Va., is in the grip of the flood and heavy damage is predicted.

The danger mark at Wheeling is 36 feet but from 40 to 42 feet of water are expected there by tomorrow. Already some of the suburbs of Wheeling are inundated and manufacturing have been compelled to shut down and residents of the low-lying sections have been compelled to flee from their homes.

From Sistersville, W. Va., Parkersburg, W. Va., Catlettsburg, Ky., Cincinnati and other points along the Ohio valley reports were received today of preparations for a desperate situation. Traffic upon the river is facing grave peril in the sudden rise.

Flood warnings were sent all along the valley from the United States Weather Bureau here today. Chief Pennywitt, of the bureau, stated that the crest of the rise might not be reached until tomorrow night unless cold weather checks the rise.

**Conditions Alarming.**

Washington, Jan. 30—Flood conditions of the Ohio river will grow alarming within the next few days, according to the United States Weather Bureau. At Wheeling, W. Va., the river will rise to 39 feet before 9 o'clock tonight; at Parkersburg it will reach a little over 40 feet by Wednesday and at Pittsburg to

tomorrow the river will be 26 feet above its normal level.

The unusually early spring is causing the floods.

## NEW JAPANESE TREATY

Administration Will Try to Force Treaty Through.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Washington, Jan. 30—With California's hands tied because of the explosion fight, the administration will attempt to force a new Japanese treaty through congress at this session, it is said on good authority today.

President Taft is now almost openly in favor of San Francisco in the fight for the 1913 Panama exposition but it is said he demands in return the support of California or at least her non-interference regarding the passage of the new treaty in which distinct concessions are to be made to Japan on the immigration question. The state department has not yet made its terms public but it is well understood that the present "exclusion clause" will be modified.

The present treaty with Japan expires in 1912 but can be abrogated by mutual consent now and a new treaty made.

## BODY OF CHILEAN MINISTER

Taken to Hampton Roads Where Battleship Delaware Will Receive it and Take it to Chile.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

Washington, Jan. 30—The body of Chilean Minister Cruz, who died here December 18 last, was placed on board the battleship Delaware and conveyed to Hampton Roads today, where it will be transferred to the battleship Delaware tomorrow. The Delaware will sail for Callao Wednesday.

The body was accompanied to Hampton Roads by representatives of the United States government and the Chilean legation.

Senator Cruz is now in Chile.

## Labor Scarce

(Special to The Times.)

Wadesboro, Jan. 30—Labor is harder to secure here now than at any time in the history of the town. Manager Rogers, of the local plant of the Southern Cotton Oil Company, is feeling the shortage possibly more than any other employer. The large and numerous orders for fertilizer keeps him on the move all the time, striving to get sufficient labor to run the plant in order to fill the orders.

**Anxious For New Train.**

(Special to The Times.)

Wadesboro, Jan. 30—Wadesboro merchants are anxiously awaiting train service over the Winston-Salem Southbound. Many cars of fertilizer have already been sold and it was expected to be able to ship over the road. A number of men are at work surfacing the road-bed and getting ready for the trains.

## M'CURDY NOT SUCCESSFUL IN HIS FLIGHT

Falls in the Water and Fails to Achieve the Goal of His Trip

### MADE A HUNDRED MILES

McCurdy Makes a Splendid Flight, But Fails to Achieve the Goal—Within Ten Miles of the End of His Journey When He Dropped Down Into the Water—Motor Stopped Because of Lubricating Oil—Was So Near Land That Word Had Been Flashed That He Had Already Arrived When He Went Down—Was Picked Up Uninjured.

(By Cable to The Times.)

Havana, Jan. 30—J. A. D. McCurdy's attempt at an all record-breaking flight over sea from Key West to Havana, ended ignominiously 10 miles off the coast today, after the aviator had completed 100 miles of the remarkable journey. McCurdy's Curtiss biplane dropped into the water, after the motors had stopped because of the lack of lubricating oil.

McCurdy was picked up uninjured by a torpedo boat. Two reports that McCurdy had consumed the journey, thus crowning Canada with the greatest aviation laurels, had been sent out from Havana upon the strength of a report from the torpedo boat Paulding that McCurdy was making good time towards Cuba.

An official observer upon the turret of Morro Castle equipped with a telescope, had flashed word to the waiting crowds in the city that he had actually seen the aeroplane inland bound and that the flight virtually was successfully finished.

The frenzy of excitement among the Cubans gathered upon the water front and the roofs of houses was turned to anxiety at 10:05 when the Cuban revenue cutter flashed word by wireless that the aeroplane had not been sighted. This report, coming directly in the wake of the Paulding report that the aeroplane was progressing toward land caused a feeling of fear that accident had overtaken the aviator. Queries were sent hurriedly to both the Hatney and the Paulding at 10:10 o'clock, asking definite details, but it was some time before the real facts could be obtained.

The confusion and false reports arose principally through the fact that McCurdy dropped into the water between two of the torpedo boats and it was not known definitely whether or not he would be able to continue the flight from the deck of the Paulding, upon which a starting platform had been constructed. The original plan was for McCurdy to continue the flight, arising from the deck of the Paulding, if he had been compelled to descend and his machine was still in working order.

Ever since the booming of three (Continued on Page Seven.)

## THREE HUNDRED KILLED BY TIDAL WAVE

(By Cable to The Times.)

Manila, Jan. 30—Three hundred persons and possibly more have been killed by a tidal wave which swept over a village on the shore of Lake Taal, as a result of the eruption of Mount Taal, the volcano. Many others are reported to have lost their lives in fires started by molten lava.

All of the towns within a radius of twenty miles of the volcano suffered from stones and hot clinders and many were injured.

The natives have abandoned their villages and are swarming to the hills, where they are planning to reside until the eruption ceases.

Mount Taal rises 1,050 feet from the center of Lake Taal and is 24 miles from Manila. It is the second volcano in importance in Luzon and has experienced eight volcanic disturbances in the last century and a half.

Isidor Duncan is to appear with the New York Symphony Orchestra, with Walter Damrosch as engagement.