

IMPORTANT RADIUM DISCOVERY CLAIMS BRITISH ATTENTION

Experts of Middlesex Hospital Claim Curative Value of Radium Can Be Multiplied Thousands of Times.

BETA RAYS BEING CAPTURED AT LAST

These Are Being Purified, Condensed and Confined in Glass Tubes Which Are Little Thicker Than a Hair.

London, March 26 (By the Associated Press).—The experts of Middlesex Hospital, in London the center of British radium research, claim to have made an important discovery enabling the curative value of any given quantity of radium to be multiplied by thousands of times.

WILL EXTRACT BROMINE FROM THE SEA SOON

Vessel Has Been Equipped For Task, Which Will Be Carried Out at Wilmington, Del.

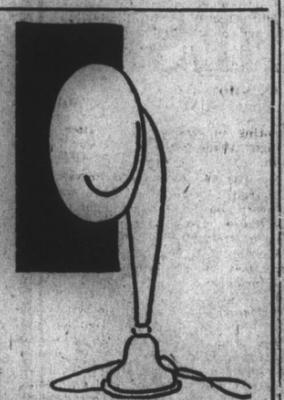
New York, March 26.—The S. S. Ethyl will sail April 15th for Wilmington, Del., to extract bromine from the sea.

Marquis Curzon Buried

Derby, England, March 26.—The remains of the late Marquis Curzon, of Kedleston, were laid to rest today in the family vault beneath the old Kedleston church which adjoins Ked Hall, the Curzon ancestral home.

Complete Arguments in Dennison Case

London, March 26.—Arguments by counsel on the legal points of the jury verdict in Mrs. Dorothy Muriel Dennison's suit against her former husband were completed today. Judge McCarris reserved judgment.



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CABARRUS COUNTY B. L. & SAVINGS ASSOCIATION Office in Concord National Bank

Banker Missing



E. A. Wickham of Council Bluffs, Iowa, bank president and financier, has been missing for several days.

PRESIDENT OF LENOIR-RHYNE COLLEGE RESIGNS

Dr. Peery and Officials At Odds Over Resignation of Member of Faculty. Hickory, March 25.—Dr. John C. Peery, president of Lenoir-Rhyne college, resigned as head of the local institution this morning.

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Auditor Arrested

Washington, March 24.—Frederick Sutherland, an auditor in the bureau of internal revenue, has been arrested here in connection with alleged attempts to reduce taxes by misrepresentation.

SAYS STOCKHOLDERS OF C. AND O. HAVE RIGHT TO MEETING

Judge Moncure Denies Petition of Minority Stockholders of Company for Injunction Against Majority.

MAY LEASE THE ROAD, IT IS SAID

Nickle Plate Wants Lease of 999 Years and the Minority Stockholders Are Said to Oppose the Lease.

TWO MOUNTAINS IN COLORADO ARE MOVING

Meeker's Mountain Has Slipped 100 Yards in Two Days—Another Near Denver.

Denver, Colo., March 25.—The antics of Meeker's moving mountain, in Rio Blanca county of western Colorado, has led to the revelation that the state has a rival "runaway" peak in the foothills near Golden, according to Charles W. Henderson, mineral geographer of the U. S. Geological Survey.

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Unshorn Tresses Win Honors



Adolescent modernists may refer to the unshorn as "horse and buggy," but when it came to selecting the most beautiful girl in San Diego's high schools and colleges, Modelin Prosper, with unshorn tresses, won out.

The Law as to Operation of Motor Vehicles in North Carolina

Raleigh, N. C., March 25.—Motor vehicles operated by competing carriers shall not leave a station in a given city or town, or other point, for the same destination or destination on the same time schedule, the state corporation commission has ruled.

"That each motor vehicle carrier may continue over the same route, and at the same fare and rates with which service is being rendered on the date the act becomes effective, pending the action of the commission upon its application, by complying with the following requirements: To pay two hundred (\$200) dollars to the commissioner of revenue as provided by Section 8 of the act, and amendments thereto, and file with the commission, subject to the provisions and conditions of the act, an acceptable liability and property damage insurance policy, in a company authorized to do business in this state, covering each motor vehicle used or to be used by the carrier in the following amounts:

"Class A and B: Twelve passengers and under: Five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for injury or death to one person, and subject to a limit of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for injury to, or death of, more than one person in any one accident, and one thousand (\$1,000) dollars for damage to property of persons other than the assured.

"Class C: Any vehicle: One thousand (\$1,000) dollars for injury or death to one person, and subject to a limit of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for injury to, or death of, more than one person in any one accident, and one thousand (\$1,000) dollars for damage to property of persons other than the assured.

"Class D: Any vehicle: One thousand (\$1,000) dollars for injury or death to one person, and subject to a limit of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for injury to, or death of, more than one person in any one accident, and one thousand (\$1,000) dollars for damage to property of persons other than the assured.

"Class E: Any vehicle: One thousand (\$1,000) dollars for injury or death to one person, and subject to a limit of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for injury to, or death of, more than one person in any one accident, and one thousand (\$1,000) dollars for damage to property of persons other than the assured.

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DOROTHY ELLINGSON AGAIN COLLAPSES IN COURT

Believed She Will Not Be Physically Able to Go Through Trial at Present Time.

(By the Associated Press) San Francisco, Cal., March 26.—The trial of 16-year-old Dorothy Ellingson charged with having shot and killed her mother, Mrs. Anna Ellingson, was held here today with attorneys for the defense and prosecution making in the case painstaking selection of the jury which will try the young defendant, and with precautionary measures in force to guard against a physical and mental breakdown of the girl.

THE COTTON MARKET

Opened Steady at Advance of 7 Points to Decline of 2 Points With Near Months Higher.

(By the Associated Press) New York, March 26.—The cotton market opened steady today at an advance of 7 points to a decline of 2 points, with near months higher in response to relatively steady Liverpool cables.

Private cables said Liverpool was steadier on the dry weather in the southwest, and that American selling in that market had been absorbed by traders and continental buying.

Cotton futures opened steady. May 25.42; July 25.70; Oct. 25.08; Dec. 25.05; Jan. unquoted.

SHEPHERD PLANS TO TRY SUPREME COURT

Denied Bail by Chief Justice Hopkins, Indicted Man Will Go Step Farther.

(By the Associated Press) Chicago, March 26.—William D. Shepherd, accused of killing William N. McClintock by giving him typhoid germs, must remain in jail pending trial, Chief Justice Jacob Hopkins, of the criminal court, ruled late yesterday.

The fight for Shepherd's release will be carried to the Supreme Court with a petition for a writ of habeas corpus, William Scott Stewart, his attorney, said.

Assurance of a speedy trial if Shepherd wishes it, was held out for him by Judge Hopkins' decision made after three days of testimony and argument.

ESCAPED PRISONERS ARE CAPTURED BY OFFICERS

Andrew and Luther Evans, Their Father a Negro Placed in Arrest.

(By the Associated Press) Wilmington, Del., March 26.—Andrew and Luther Evans, who escaped from officers Tuesday after attacking and shooting them, were captured today at Naamans, north of this city.

When they were captured by State highway police, were Edward Evans, father of the brothers, and Warner Brittingham, a negro. All were in an automobile going north. All four men were armed.

They were brought to Wilmington and held to await the orders of the Maryland authorities.

RECONSTRUCTION OBJECT IN STORM SWEEP AREAS

American Red Cross Went Apace With Plans to Replace and Furnish Homes.

(By the Associated Press) Chicago, March 26.—Reconstruction and replacement were the objects of activity today in the storm swept areas of five states where a week ago ruin and death were left in the wake of the previous day's tornado.

The American Red Cross went apace with its plans to replace and furnish homes, clothing and all necessities of victims to re-establish them as nearly on a pre-disaster basis as possible.

With Our Advertisers. Many tracts of valuable city and country property are offered by Jno. K. Patterson & Co. See list in this paper.

"Service with a smile," always a Howard's Filling Station.

Cline's Pharmacy will give a market bag free to all customers purchasing 50 cents worth of goods.

Nice lot of fresh fish Friday and Saturday at the Cabarrus Cash Grocery Co. Eird's is showing Easter hats in every color and style imaginable, from \$2.95 up. Children's hats, 95 cents up.

Dave Oestricher, of Salisbury, solicits your charge account. In a large ad today on page three you will find something of great interest to you.

Spring styles in ladies' coats, expertly tailored and priced low \$9.90.

New Victor red seal and other records at Bell & Harris Furniture Co.'s. See list in the new ad today.

Eureka vacuum cleaners are superior. At Concord Furniture Co.

Save a part of every dollar—that's the key to future success and happiness. No better way to save money than by taking stock in the new series, now open, of the Cabarrus County B. L. & Savings Association. See Gilbert Hendrix at the Concord National Bank.

MOST TESTIMONY IN BENNETT CASE HAS BEEN PRESENTED

Possible That Arguments in Case Will Begin Late Today or Early Tomorrow as Most Testimony Is In.

MRS. BENNETT IS ON WITNESS STAND

Adds Denial of Guilt to That of Her Husband, Who Was One of Principal Witnesses Called Yesterday.

(By the Associated Press) Chattanooga, March 26.—Assurances by counsel that testimony for the defense would be completed during the session today marked the trial of W. H. Bennett and his wife, Mrs. May Bennett, charged with the murder of Miss Augustus Hoffman.

The State brought its case to a close yesterday afternoon and the defense opened with Bennett taking the stand.

Much of the defendant testimony was given on cross examination conducted by Attorney General George W. Chambliss.

The defendant said he did not murder his aunt and knew nothing of such a murder.

Mrs. Bennett on Stand. Chattanooga, March 26.—Mrs. May Bennett, indicted jointly with her husband, W. H. Bennett, on charges of murdering Miss Augustus Hoffman, today added her denial to the guilt to that of her husband.

BALTIMORE CONFERENCE VOTES DOWN METHODIST UNIFICATION

Merger Plans Are Beaten in the First Test—Loss Is Overwhelming.

Washington, March 25.—The one hundred and forty-first session of the Baltimore conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, today overwhelmingly voted down the proposal for unification of the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. The vote, 137 for and 141 against, was taken without debate.

A three-fourths vote was necessary for approval.

The action, which came on a year ago vote after the conference reversed itself in the matter of voting by ballot, was the first to be taken by an annual conference of the more than forty conferences in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in the United States.

The Cuban conference recently voted unanimously in favor of unification.

The proposal now is being voted upon in the northern church conference and will complete returns are lacking. It is understood that a large majority have adopted it.

Bishop Warren A. Candler, of Atlanta, president of the conference, presided as the vote was taken.

Despite the adverse action, proponents of unification were optimistic that other southern conferences would approve the proposal.

With its most important matter settled at the outset, the conference resolved into its annual routine business and devotional services. Approximately 500 delegates are in attendance. Preliminary reports indicated that virtually all of the churches in the conference are in good financial condition.

MAN SHOT TO DEATH NEAR CADILLAC SQUARE

Shooting Occurred Shortly After Midnight While Score of Persons Looked On.

(By the Associated Press) Detroit, March 26.—A man was shot to death shortly after midnight today at Cadillac Square, near one of the world's busiest street intersections, and within a stone throw of the city hall by one of three men who escaped in an automobile.

The dead man is Earl Maher, 26 years old.

Mazer and two companions were crossing the square when they narrowly escaped being run down by an automobile containing three men. The car stopped across the street and Maher, Brill and Stranzky went over to it and remonstrated with the driver for his carelessness.

In reply one of the men in the machine fired the shot. The bullet entered Maher's chest.

The gunmen then escaped in view of a score of persons.

Southern's Net Operating Sum Shows Good Gain.

New York, March 25.—Despite a decline of \$77,433 in gross revenues for February compared with the same month last year, the Southern Railway's net operating income increased to \$2,207,332 from \$1,929,879. Net for the first two months of this year was \$4,287,479 against \$3,681,411 in the corresponding period of 1924.

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, probably showers in west portion; warmer tonight in the extreme west portion.