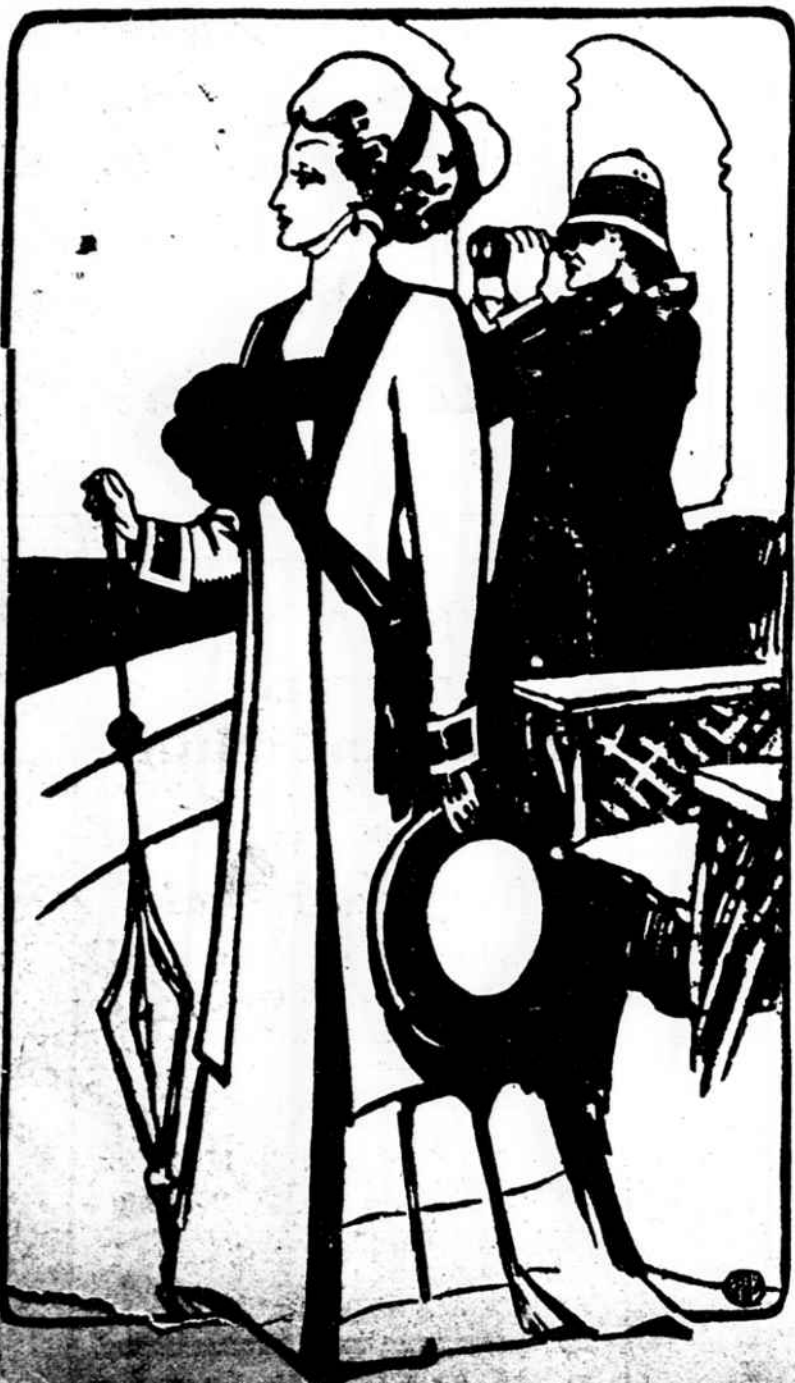


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COUNT TOLSTOI IS CALLED TO BEYOND

GREAT RUSSIAN ANSWERS CALL

Tolstoi, Seeking Solitude, Was Overcome by Fatigue and Passed His Last Days at Small Railway Station on Shores of Black Sea.

Count Leo Tolstoi died peacefully Saturday. Dr. Makovelsky and the other attending physicians and Countess Tolstoi were at his side when he passed away. He was recognized long before his case was known, and at 8 o'clock in the morning, after the countess had been summoned and the other members of the family had gathered in an adjoining room, the physician announced that the activity of the heart had almost ceased, and that Tolstoi's condition was extremely dangerous.

Several of the physicians were greatly overcome by the approaching death of Russia's great writer. Tolstoi, accompanied only by Dr. Makovelsky, left his home at Yasnaya Polyana for the purpose of ending his days in solitude, to which he more and more inclined during his later years. His pilgrimage led him to the monastery at Shramadine, in the province of Kaluga, where he remained as the guest of his sister, Marie.

Learning that his retreat had been discovered, he insisted upon proceeding on his journey to the Caucasus, where he hoped to spend his last days close to the Tolstoin colony on the shores of the Black sea. But during the railroad journey, he was overcome with exhaustion and the cold, and Dr. Makovelsky was compelled to have him transferred to the railway station at Astapora, where he was made as comfortable as possible in the rude wooden building.

For five days he had lain there suffering from bronchitis and later from inflammation of the lungs. Specialists were called from Moscow and other places, but, notwithstanding their efforts, the heart of the great Russian responded but feebly to the restoratives and stimulants administered. On Saturday the attention of heart failure was pronounced, and many hours prior to the end the physicians had given up all hope.

THE PANAMA CANAL

Great Waterway Will Be Completed by December, 1912.

The Panama canal will be completed on December 1, 1912. This information was given to President Taft while he was inspecting the Panama Canal zone, on which he spent several hours. The official date of the opening remains January 1, 1913. Lieutenant Colonel Goethals desires one year in which to train the canal tenders and to get the machinery working smoothly. Ships meantime will be granted the privilege of the canal at their own risk of possible delay incident to inexperienced operation.

In addition, it was announced by Colonel Goethals that the report that President Taft's visit was the forerunner of a request for another \$100,000,000 from congress was unfounded. The canal will be completed in 1913, he said, within the \$275,000,000 already authorized.

POLITICAL UPHEAVAL

Republicans Oust Democrats From Many Offices.

Probably few counties in Georgia have ever witnessed anything like the political upheaval or revolution that has just taken place in Fannin.

Democratic officials who had held office for years were ousted and republicans put in their places. Offices held by democrats for a quarter of a century were turned over to republicans.

In fact, the republicans made a clean sweep of it, turning out every democratic official in the county, and Fannin's political complexion has taken on a new and startling hue.

Only the senator from the forty-first was saved by the democrats from the otherwise complete wreck; but J. R. Kincaid, democrat, won out for the senate with the aid of the other counties in the district.

Following it all has come quite a crop of indictments, charging vote buying; it is claimed votes were bought right and left, and, as the result of the grand jury's investigation, many true bills were found.

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There is little danger from a cold or from an attack of the grip except when followed by pneumonia, and this never happens when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. This remedy has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of colds and grip and can be safely relied upon with implicit confidence. For sale by all druggists.

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ANOTHER TARIFF SCANDAL

Gross Frauds Said to Have Been Perpetrated on Government.

United States District Attorney Wise is seemingly determined to recover for the government all the money it is claimed to have been defrauded out of during the past five years by means of alleged false invoices for importations made by Joseph Brooks & Co., manufacturers of woollens, worsteds and Hingoes of Bradford, England, and New York City.

Whitney, who has direct charge of the case, said: "This is the biggest case of its kind the government has ever had. The frauds involve several woolen manufacturing companies in England. The total amount of the duties which the government has lost through these importations is much greater than in the sugar under-weighting cases."

After filing of preliminary papers in a suit to recover \$300,000 damages because of the alleged under-valuation of goods, Assistant District Attorney Whitney obtained a writ of attachment, upon which Marshal Haskins seized the entire stock of Brooks & Co. Further, to protect the interests of the government Mr. Whitney obtained from Judge Hazel twenty additional writs of attachment, which have been served on certain banks and firms to prevent the collection of sums on deposit and accounts receivable.

Mr. Whitney said that the Brooks case was the initial one of a series of cases which the government expects to conduct against other exporters. These new cases, said the federal officer, will involve claims against exporters amounting to upwards of \$500,000.

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TRUST AGAIN WINS BIG VICTORY

RESULTS IN ACQUITTAL

Trusts of the United States to Have Gained Against Oil Company Penalties of \$30,000,000 Have Proven Null.

A ruling which required just twenty minutes to read, Judge John McCall, in the United States circuit court at Jackson, Tenn., wrote today in the efforts of the government to have assessed against the Standard Oil Company of Indiana penalties aggregating \$30,000,000. The ruling of the court, instructing that a verdict of not guilty be returned, came in the conclusion of the case in chief of the prosecution, and in substance holds that after four years the United States had failed to build its structure of evidence other than on a flimsy basis.

The suit at issue was probably the most important litigation against the great corporations ever fought out in the south. The Elkins law, regarding interstate commerce, was violated, it was alleged, through "schemes and devices," the specific offense charged being the violation of freight rate concessions.

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Grieving over the death of her mother, who died when she was only six years old, Harriet Owens, ten years old, ended her life with her father's revolver at Philadelphia. Her body was discovered lying beside a preserved wreath, which had been taken from the coffin of her mother. Lying nearby was a childish scrawl which read: "Wooddy, papa, I am going to join mother, and hope that God will forgive me."

RIOT AT PUEBLO.

Mexican Revolt Under Control After Much Bloodshed.

Estimates of the number who were killed in the fight between soldiers and police on one side, and revolutionists on the other at Pueblo, continues to be placed at from 100 to 170. Dispatches from that city stated that it was certain over 100 had been slain in the conflict.

Aquiles Cerdan, whose house was the scene of the fight, was killed by soldiers while resisting arrest in a tunnel where he had taken refuge. Cerdan fought to the last, firing at the officers as soon as they found his hiding place.

According to late advices from Pueblo there was no fear of further trouble, as the troops were in control of the situation. It was said that a large number of factory employees were still talking in a revolutionary vein, but that there was no danger of another serious outbreak.

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POISON IN COFFEE.

Drug Placed in Drink Believed to Have Caused Death of Two.

William Sprayberry, aged 36 years, one of the richest planters of De Kalb county, Ga., and his wife, Mary Sprayberry, aged 35 years, are dead from the effects, it is believed, of drinking poisoned coffee. Three servants employed on the plantation are dangerously near death from drinking the coffee.

The Sprayberry plantation is located on the Flat Shoals road, one and a half miles from the Cedar Grove church. It is said to be one of the largest plantations in the county and is moderately equipped in every respect.

It is believed of neighbors that William Sprayberry, in a fit of temporary insanity, placed the drug in the coffee. Dr. H. M. Sprayberry, a nephew of the dead couple, stated that he had believed William Sprayberry to be in sane for the past ten years. He believes Mr. and Mrs. Sprayberry died from the effects of arsenic or rough on rats placed in the coffee.

Flight Across American Continent is Now Proposed by Aeronauts.

A balloon flight from the Pacific coast to the Atlantic coast, as proposed by the International Association of Aeronautical Pilots at its annual meeting in Boston a few weeks ago, will be attempted next year, as the result of an offer made by A. Chester Thompson, of New York, to give \$10,000 to finance the trip, besides a property valued at \$1,000.

The offer from Mr. Thompson was received today by Charles J. Gildner, president of the association, and was immediately accepted. M. Heim Clayton, who was in the balloon Pezannern, which won the international balloon race of 1903, will be the pilot for the coast-to-coast trip, and is confident that the trip can be made in four days.

A rubber-silk hydrogen balloon of from 150,000 to 200,000 cubic feet capacity will be immediately ordered. Mr. Thompson makes no condition as to the trip other than that the start shall be made at some place on the Pacific coast and the landing within 40 miles of the Atlantic coast.

ROBIN OSOPER ACQUITTED.

Final Chapter in Celebrated Case in Tennessee Closed.

Robin J. Cooper, charged with the murder of Senator Edward Wood Gurnea, was given a verdict of not guilty in the criminal court at Nashville, Tenn., on recommendation of Attorney General A. B. Anderson. Thus was brought to a close the final chapter in one of the most celebrated cases known in the annals of the courts of Tennessee.

In striking contrast to the scenes marking the first trial of this case, when the court room was packed at most to saturation by those eager to hear every word of the evidence, there were only a few persons present. Gurnea was probably the only person there particularly so interested in this case.

The Barmald—Your dog is getting very fat. What do you feed him on, Mr. McPherson? McPherson—Oh, I didn't give him any regular meals. Just whenever I drop in for a drink he gets a biscuit.—London M. A. P.

Right and Wrong.

It requires something of a hero to give up when he is wrong and a good deal of a family man to give up when he is right.—Puck.

JOSEPH N. TERRELL NAMED SENATOR

EX-GOVERNOR SUCCEEDS CLAY

Action of Georgia's Governor No Surprise to the People, as It was Generally Thought That Mr Terrell would be Given the Honor.

Joseph McIlwain Terrell is the new United States senator from Georgia.

The proclamation naming former Governor Terrell to succeed the late Senator Clay was made out by Governor Brum and read at a surprise dinner party given at the mansion in honor of Georgia's junior senator. The naming of Governor Terrell will probably cause no surprise throughout the state. He was the one man most conspicuously mentioned for the post, and the one who was universally expected to win the coveted honor.

Throughout the two heated campaigns of Governor Brum he was the power behind the throne; he organized the state, and his hand was on every detail of the organization that won victory two years ago, and that mustered 160,000 men to the polls this year.

A former governor of Georgia and former attorney general of the state, Senator Terrell has been conspicuous for his interest in education for the boys and girls of the state. The establishment of the state normal school, which has done some late being, was made an issue in his campaign of 1903, when he first ran for governor, and authorized during his incumbency that office.

Senator Terrell served in the lower house in the sessions of 1884 and 1886 and in the senate which convened in 1890. He was elected attorney general in 1892 and served until 1895, when he resigned to be the race for governor. In that campaign he made over 130 speeches and defeated two able opponents, Hon. Du Font Querry, of 1870, and J. M. Keith, of Oglethorpe, in that office.

He served in the office of governor for four years and eight months, being given an extra length of time, owing to the action of the legislature in changing the time of meeting of the legislature from October to June. He retired from the governor's office July 1, 1905, and has since been engaged in the practice of law in Atlanta.

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