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shall from the beginning to the end be the part of mediator singly desirous of promoting better and more peaceful relations."

Berlin, July 25.—A Budapest dispatch to the Vissiche Zeitung says that General Radomir Putnick, chief of the general staff of the Serbian army, has been arrested by the Hungarian military authorities while on the way from Styria, in Austria to Belgrade.

Vienna, July 25.—Martial law has been declared throughout the Austro-Hungarian empire.

Berlin, July 25.—According to the Lokal Anzeiger, Emperor William's yacht is due to arrive at Swinemunde Sunday afternoon.

Rome, July 25.—All efforts of Italy seem to be, in concert with Great Britain, to exercise conciliatory action for the reestablishment of peace. The secretary-general of the ministry of foreign affairs and the British ambassador twice visited the Austrian ambassador today.

Carlsbad, July 25.—Lieutenant General Helmuth von Moltke, chief of the Prussian staff, left here tonight for Berlin.

Ischl, July 25.—The health of the Emperor Francis Joseph is good in spite of the excitement of the last few days. The emperor will remain at Ischl. No arrangements have been made for his departure.

Paris, July 25.—The possibility of a general European war is commented upon extensively by the French Press. "If Europe wants peace Serbia must be conquered," declared the newspaper. "If further expressed the hope that the government will take note of the German menace and support its ally, Russia, for the national honor and even in the interests of European peace."

Bergen, Norway, July 25.—The German emperor left here suddenly this evening for Berlin in view of the serious situation that has arisen between Austria and Serbia. All divisions of the German fleet have been ordered to assemble at prearranged places on the Norwegian coast. One of the high naval officers, who accompanied the emperor has started for Germany on board the fastest destroyer.

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DEFIANCE DANGEROUS Cup Defender Said to be unfit for Re- ing Purposes. (By Associated Press.) Boston, July 24.—The Defender has been abandoned as a racing boat because it would be dangerous to sail her again without further changes," said Henry Taggard, secretary of the Eastern Yacht Club, today. Mr. Taggard was the representative of the Boston members of the Tri-State syndicate which financed construction of the unsuccessful candidate for cup defense honors.

His Benevolence. "Good little boy," purred the benevolent old gentleman. "I saw your kind act, though you didn't know I saw it. I saw you give your nice big apple to your little friend and I noticed from your cheerful manner that you relished to your generous deed." "You bet," returned the amiable one, with a scrupulous smile. "But I just wish I could see him, bite into it. I took out all the inside and filled it up with mustard and red pepper."

PROMINENT MASON DEAD Nashville, Tenn., July 24.—Major James Daniel Richardson, aged 71 years, sovereign grand commander of the Scottish Rite Masons, southern jurisdiction, died at 4 o'clock this afternoon at his home near Murfreesboro, Tenn. He was elected to the forty-ninth congress from the fifth district of Tennessee and served 18 consecutive years, being leader of the democratic minority in congress when he refused another nomination. Forty-seven years ago he entered the Masonic order at Ephraim, Ala., and his rise was phenomenal. He was a Confederate officer.

ANOTHER RAT CAUGHT Infected With Plague—Has Seven Predecessors. (By Associated Press.) New Orleans, July 24.—Diagnosing the tenth case and discovering the eighth infected rat were principal developments today in the bubonic plague situation in this city. The tenth victim, William Ernst, was employed as bar tender within what is termed the first focus of the disease. He was removed to the isolation hospital. The rat which bacteriological examination today disclosed was infected, was caught fifteen blocks from the point of first infection.

Health Is Their Friend. (Easley Progress.) We would not give two cents, so far as we are personally concerned as to which of the three, Smith, Pollock or Jennings, succeeded in being elected to the United States senate, either of them would, we suppose, make a good senator, but if the farmers go back on Smith they will deserve all of the ill that can possibly be heaped upon them. After their representative is down and out, Smith has certainly been their friend. If he has done them no good, he has tried to do it and that is saying more than can be said of some others.

SOUTHERN TO BUILD A PIER

CHARLESTON WILL THE BE A SHIPPING POINT FOR FOREIGN TRADE

PRES. HARRISON

Sanctions the Move and is Favorably Impressed by the Advantages Offered

(By Associated Press)

Washington, July 24.—A. P. Thom, general counsel for the Southern railway, announced today that full arrangements have been made by that road to construct a coal pier at Charleston, and afford the mines on its tracks an opportunity to tranship coal at Charleston and enter into the export coal trade.

The Southern railway has acquired 4,000 feet of water front in the Magnolia cemetery site and will immediately begin work on the construction of first unit of a coal pier. Daniel B. Wentz and other coal operatives in the Virginia field attending the investigation the senate is conducting of coal rates to the Southeastern Atlantic ports say they expect to avail themselves of this new outlet for their coal.

"I cannot say just when the pier will be ready for coal," said Mr. Thom. "However, the money for the development has been arranged for and the company will proceed with the work as rapidly as possible. It intends to afford every facility to the coal producers along its various lines."

As to whether the new pier would be open to coal hauled to Charleston on railroads other than the Southern, Mr. Thom said he was not fully advised, but he felt sure the Southern would offer operators on other railroads an outlet for their product.

The rate from Black Mountain and adjoining Virginia fields to Charleston is \$1.40 for export coal, the same as charged to Norfolk and other ports north of Norfolk, but the lack of facilities for transhipping coal at Charleston have made the rate practically useless.

Mr. Thom said former President Finley was always much impressed by the claim of Charleston that it should have an opportunity to become a coal export port and he said that President Fairfax Harrison was of the same opinion.

Rufus A. Ayres, representing the Stonega Coal and Coke Company, was among the lawyers who cross examined Dunahy today. In response to questions asked by Mr. Ayres, Dineay explained his former connection with the Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke Company. He said he organized the company and was active in its management until he realized that the directors were determined to wreck it. Grant B. Schley, Henry K. McHarg, and E. J. Berwind, were named by Mr. Dineay as the three men responsible for "wrecking the company." To freeze out small stockholders \$800,000 of the company's funds was temporarily withheld, the witness said, and the company was thrown into the hands of receivers.

TAX IMPOSED ON COTTON FUTURES

Bill to Regulate Gambling On the Cotton Exchange Has Passed the House

(By Associated Press)

Washington, July 24.—Final agreement on a bill to tax out of existence so-called gambling transaction in cotton futures was reached today by house and senate conferees. Under the measure all future contracts which do not provide for delivery of spinnable cotton of a designed quality under standards to be established by the department of agriculture, would be subjected to a tax of \$10 per bale. No tax would be imposed on futures transactions which come within these requirements, or upon trading in spot cotton.

The bill would become operative six months after its enactment into law. Chairman Lever, of the agricultural committee, who will call it up in the house tomorrow, tonight predicted its early passage. He said it would mean an annual saving to southern farmers of nearly \$100,000,000, and would increase the country's foreign trade by more than \$40,000,000 a year. The measure follows generally the Lever bill passed by the house, but the conferees increased the rate of taxation from \$5 to \$10 a bale to make more certain the elimination of gambling from cotton exchanges.

The measure as perfected in conference has the approval of the department of agriculture, which under its provisions would promulgate an official standard of grades upon which contracts must be based. All futures contracts would be registered with the treasury department through which the public would be informed of the quantity and nature of the business transacted by the various exchanges. One provision specifically delivery on contract of "rejections," "dogtails" and other qualities of cotton unsuited for spinning and of a staple less than seven-eighths of an inch.

PUBLIC MARKET NOW BEING CONSIDERED

WOULD BE FINE THING FOR THE CITY

MAY BE SECURED

Maxwell Lot Is To Be Fitted Up First-Class Fashion For Place If Council Will Agree

The Intelligencer has all along agitated the question of securing a public market for this city and with some it has met with the encouragement that the proposition deserves. That Anderson should have such a thing is willingly admitted by the public, but some seem to think that the city is too small to make the venture a profitable one. Which is generally the way when a progressive step is planned.

It was announced a day or so ago that the Maxwell lot, close into the business section of the city and easily accessible from all sides, was to be offered to the council for a public market lot, but since that time Mr. Maxwell has changed his mind and it is now said that he will make the city council a proposition by which he will completely fit up the place for a public market. The market would be equipped with steel or iron stalls on either side of the walk way, one side to be used by grocers and market men, while the other side would be given over to the dealers in country produce. This lot is just in the rear of Balles' Bee Hive.

The benefit of such a market to the housewives of the city would be great and it is something that they would all appreciate. In a town the size of Anderson most of the ladies do their own shopping and if it were possible for them to examine all their purchases in the open, as it will be if the market is erected, they could secure much better bargains than they now do when they order over the telephone.

It is not known definitely that council will look with favor upon the proposition, but if the market becomes a reality the people of the city will certainly thank council for making it possible.

CARPENTER FELL; DEATH FOLLOWED

B. M. Palmer Suffered Injuries Wednesday Afternoon From Which He Died Friday

B. M. Palmer, a well-known citizen of the Zion section of Anderson county, died at the Anderson hospital last night at 9 o'clock.

For some time Mr. Palmer had been engaged in contracting in lumber and house building and has erected a number of houses in Anderson. He was at work on a house in the Brogan mill vicinity last Wednesday afternoon when he fell from the scaffold, his back striking a joist. One of his kidneys was ruptured and the physicians saw at once that his condition was serious. He continued to sink and last night about 8 o'clock he was taken to the hospital but before anything could be done for him he died, the end coming within one hour after he had been placed in the hospital. Mr. Palmer was 47 years old and was said to be an honest and upright man. No funeral arrangements had been announced last night.

TREATIES SUBMITTED

President Would Like Same Ratified Before Congress Adjourns

Washington, July 24.—President Wilson sent to the senate today for ratification Secretary Bryan's new peace treaties with 20 nations providing for investigation of disputes in all cases where diplomacy has failed. They are the treaties the president wants ratified before congress adjourns. Whether they can be pushed through is considered doubtful. The treaties are with Salvador, Guatemala, Panama, Honduras, Nicaragua, the Netherlands, Bolivia, Persia, Denmark, Switzerland, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Venezuela, Italy, Norway, Peru, Argentina, Brazil, and Chile. The three latter were signed today. Similar conventions with Great Britain and France have not yet been signed.

The foreign relations committee will meet Wednesday, when Col. Roosevelt's request for the hearing on the Colombian treaty will be considered.

MR. GIBBONY IS NOW IN VIRGINIA

Was Taken By Brother To Roanoke Where He Underwent Successful Operation

Anderson people will be much pleased to learn that telegrams received in Anderson yesterday afternoon from Virginia advised that Rev. J. Haller Gibbony, rector of Grace Episcopal church in this city, had successfully underwent an operation in a Roanoke hospital and was last night said to be feeling easily. James H. Gibboney of Roanoke arrived in Anderson Friday and carried his brother back with him, the operation being performed yesterday morning. Members of Mr. Gibboney's church sincerely hope that he may soon be entirely restored to health.

COMPETATIVE SCHEME FOR TRADES BODIES

PLAN ORIGINATED WITH CHARLESTON BODY

WILL BE TRIED OUT

Suggestion Is That All Carolina Cities, Including Anderson, Try Y. M. C. A. Method

Anderson people are acquainted with the schemes which the Y. M. C. A.'s of the country cover in their efforts to increase memberships. The plan as tried out by the organization is to have a number of well known citizens enter into the contest for the largest increase of membership in a given time and then to award a trophy of some kind to the city winning the contest.

So well has this plan succeeded that A. V. Snell, managing director of the Charleston chamber of commerce, has seized on the idea that it will be a good thing for the chamber of commerce of South Carolina and with that end in view he has written to the Anderson chamber of commerce, asking if anybody will enter into such a scheme. Mr. Whaley said last night that the Anderson chamber would not only be too glad to enter, but would win out in the endeavor, regardless of what other cities might be trying.

The following is the Charleston letter: "Would your organization be interested in holding a competitive membership campaign following the plan of the Y. M. C. A. campaign, some time in the early fall, or perhaps the first week in October?"

"The Y. M. C. A. campaign has been based upon a handicap according to the population of each city, with a prize to be offered."

"The details of such a plan are yet to be worked out, but it is possible that if eight or ten of our cities in the Carolinas and Georgia would combine, it would enthrone the local bodies and bring about greater results as in the case of the Y. M. C. A."

"If we receive sufficient replies to this letter showing general interest in such a campaign, I would suggest that a tentative plan be drawn up and submitted to each organization, and that thereafter, a meeting be held at once at some central point for the final arrangement."

"I will be glad to hear from you within the next few days."

RAILROAD HAS BEEN SATISFIED

Anderson City Council Yesterday Agreed To Build New Storm Drain Along Market Street

After once refusing to comply with the request of the Charleston & Western Carolina railway in regard to the placing of certain drain pipes along Market street, and having the railroad serve notice on them that suit would be instituted, the Anderson city council yesterday decided that the request of the railroad is a reasonable one and the committee appointed to investigate this matter reported to A. W. Anderson, general manager of the railroad, that the city would agree to the railroad's proposition and defray one half of the expense of constructing new storm sewers along West Market street, thus protecting the terminal property of the railroad on Main street.

When railroad representatives appeared before the council last Tuesday night they showed that their work on the terminals was being delayed because they were not willing to proceed as long as they were exposed to the surface water drain and asked that the city pay one-half the cost of placing new drains on another street. At that time the proposition was refused but it has now been accepted and the new drains will be built. The total cost of the undertaking will be about \$2,500, half to be paid by the railroad and the other half to be paid by the city.

PROTEST OVER CLOSING CAFES

Not "Blue Laws" For Sunday Alone But Curfew For Every Night in the Week

As the result of a drunken man starting an altercation in one of the restaurants Friday night, an order was issued for all of the cafes to be closed at midnight every night. This caused a great deal of indignation last night, for there are many clerks and others who wish to get a light lunch on Saturday nights, and there is an ever increasing colony of night workers in the city that has been depending upon the cafes for a midnight lunch. But at 12 o'clock last night the feed emptiums were closed and there was a lot of grumbling.

A police officer stated that the order had been issued because of the fact that loafers have been causing complaint and that the fuss of Friday night had brought things to a head. However the management of the restaurants, while not relying on their constitutional rights, declare that it is unfair to them, because they keep decent, orderly places, and they are not or should not be held responsible for the drunks that drift in. They allow no drinking on the premises.

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ANDERSON PRIDE IS TAKING PART Capt. Fishburn Battling At His Famous Game With World's Champion Now in Columbia

As a battle horse scents the smell of powder from afar and charges into the battle, so does Capt. F. B. Fishburne hear of an approaching checker tournament and straightway the resolute captain gets on the job. The following from the Columbia State yesterday tells of the Anderson man's activity against the world's champion: "Newell W. Banks of Detroit, Mich., champion checker player of America, arrived in Columbia yesterday and will spend the day in Columbia. At 8:30 o'clock tonight he will meet the checker players of Columbia in a simultaneous blindfolded exhibition at the Young Men's Christian Association building. While in the city he is the guest of F. B. Fishburne, former champion of the south and one of the best known checker players in America today."

"Mr. Banks is on a playing tour of the United States, getting into trim for his match at Kansas City November 16 with Alfred Jordan of England for the championship of the world. He has just attended the Southern association's meeting at Cheraw. While in south Carolina he will also play at Greenville and Spartanburg. During the recent play at Cheraw he gave several exhibitions."

The winner of the Banks-Jordan match at Kansas City will probably meet Robert Stuart of Scotland in matches at the Panama-Pacific exposition in November, 1915. "Mr. Banks is open to games with chess players during today, and likewise a number of Columbians will try to compete with the national champion."

"At the Cheraw tournament, G. C. Anderson of Mt. Airy, N. C., won first place and J. W. Finkler, of Hyman, this state, and Frank Arnette, of Monroe, N. C., tied for second honors. The next meeting will be held at Glenn Springs in July, 1915. "Mr. Fishburne did not play at the Cheraw tournament as he is a former southern champion."

The kindest action. "Papa," said the daughter, "Jack is coming tonight to ask your consent to our marriage. Be kind to him won't you?" "Certainly, my child," said the stern parent. "I'll do him the kindest act I can. I'll tell him he can't have you."

"What is the reason," asked the gallant captain of a young lady, "that men never kiss each other, while women waste a world of kisses on other feminine faces?" "Because," was the reply, "men have something better to kiss and women haven't."

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NOTICE OF ELECTION There will be an election in Martin district, No. 15, on Saturday, August 8th, for the purpose of voting on a special 4 mill tax. Polls open 7 a. m., and close at 4 p. m. J. B. FELTON, Clerk of county board of education, Shiloh district No. 49 on August 10th.

NOTICE OF ELECTION There will be an election at Clero, Harrison's Spring in Fork School District No. 1, on Tuesday, July 28, 1914, for the purpose of levying a special tax of six mills on all the taxable property to be used for general school purposes. The new school building if erected will be located at the above named spring. All voters must exhibit a registration certificate and tax receipt. Polls will open at 7 a. m. and close at 4 p. m. By order of the County Board of Education for Anderson county. J. B. FELTON, Clerk County Board of Education.

NOTICE DEMOCRATS On July 28th, 1914 the club polls will close. After that date no names shall be enrolled. All democrats are urged to enroll at their nearest club without delay. If any qualified voter fails to enroll he can do so only himself. Write your full name on the club roll and do it now! All clubs except Cox mill, Groves School and Slabtown have sent in the names of their enrollment committee. These clubs are urged to send them in without delay.

The secretaries of all the clubs will send in the club rolls the 28th of July and August 1st, and the executive committee from each club is requested to see that this rule is complied with. The time for filing pledges and paying assessment of candidates expires on August 7th, at 12 o'clock where the pledge is to be filed with the secretary and the assessment paid to him. Leon L. Rice, Secretary, S. D. Pearman, County Chairman.