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Haiti's Perfumed Police Made Happy by General Russell

Port Au Prince, Haiti, Oct. 6.—A threatened strike of the capital's police force has been averted through the intervention of the American High Commissioner, Brig. Gen. John H. Russell.

A rumor that their pay was to be reduced one dollar per month brought Haiti's finest, so their letter to Commissioner Russell ran, to the dire alternative of being deprived of their "perfume, hairdresser and barber," or going out on strike. The present pay, the letter complained, was so insufficient that it was necessary "we should have women who give us food." The letter ended with the appeal, "We hope, General, that like a good father, you will take pity on your devoted children; we hope for justice for our plain in the presence of the whole world."

An investigation was promptly ordered through General Douglas C. McDougal, Chief of the Gendarmerie, under whom the police function. This showed that the rumored reduction had originated in the mind of a policeman who had been fined one dollar for a dirty rifle. As to the complaint about food, it was found that since the police had been placed on a balanced ration, the average gain in weight for the 230 members of the force had been nine pounds in the first month.

Reassured by the High Commissioner, the police are patrolling their beats and regulating traffic, well coiffured and redolent with their favorite brands of perfume, and Haiti's capital slumbers peacefully at night.

Colonial Council of St. Thomas Dissolved By Admiral Kittelle

Charlotte Amalia, St. Thomas, V. I., Oct. 6.—Differences of opinion arising over a council committee report on a new judiciary bill have caused a political situation in the Virgin Islands which is causing a considerable amount of local comment.

The situation became so acute early in September that Rear Admiral Sumner E. W. Kittelle, retiring Governor of the Islands and personal representative of the President of the United States, issued a proclamation dissolving the Colonial Council of St. Thomas and St. John and announcing that elections would be held for the selection of new council members. Admiral Kittelle, who had been ordered back to sea duty as commander of the destroyer division of the Atlantic Fleet before the differences arose, will be succeeded in the Virgin Islands by Captain H. H. Hough, U. S. N.

The chief cause of the misunderstanding seems to have arisen over a paragraph in the council committee report concerning the judiciary, which was submitted late in August. The section to which Governor Kittelle took exception was as follows: "We do not deem it advisable for one judge to sit and determine appeal cases passed upon by a coordinate judge. It is to be expected, and we know it is the practice for judges of coordinate rank to sustain each other, and especially would this be true here where each judge would be sitting on the other's cases. We are afraid it would resolve itself into a demonstration of the old adage, 'You scratch my back and I will scratch yours.'"

Commenting upon this paragraph in his proclamation, Governor Kittelle said that it reflected upon the honesty of judges and inferred that they would sustain each other's decisions "without regard to law or justice or their oaths of office." The proclamation dissolving the council was based on a refusal of the councilmen to meet, it is stated, and on the ground that no quorum could be obtained.

Young Venetian Girl Locates Hidden Springs

Rome, Oct. 6.—Augusta Del Pio Luogo, a beautiful young girl of Venice, is looking forward to a period of profitable and pleasant employment. Italy is particularly interested just now in two things, the location of petroleum, for all the world wants oil, and the finding of water, for the drought of the past two summers is said to be but the beginning of a long dry spell. To Augusta Del Pio Luogo is ascribed the ability to locate the deposit, within the earth, of both oil and water, and her successes have been so remarkable that her services are being sought by companies interested in oil production and irrigation.

Augusta first noticed her ability when a child. When walking in the country she would notice little shocks passing from her feet to her head, causing her distinct pain. In 1909 she met a famous water diviner, Chiabrera, and found that his divining rod acted as well for her as it did for him. A year later she went to Argentina and, making use of her powers, indicated a number of places where water would be found, sometimes at a depth of 800 feet. In each case water was found, but in some instances it turned out to be salt.

Back in Italy after the war, Augusta, in the presence of two engineers, has located not only water, but petroleum and deposits of pyrites. She no longer uses the divining rod, but a chronometer. It is said that this eccentric woman told her remarkable success in the depth at which the water was located, and whether it was salty or sweet.

Majority of Swedish Women Favored Prohibition

Stockholm, Oct. 6.—The 57 percent of Sweden's women favored prohibition of the manufacture and sale of beverages containing more than five and one-fourth percent of alcohol, while 40 percent of the men were against it, it is now apparent from a further count of the votes cast at the recent liquor referendum which resulted in a victory for the "wets." Sweden now will continue the present rationing system, whereby the heads of families who prove that they are respectable and self-supporting can purchase about a gallon of strong liquor per month, while any one can order drinks with meals under legal restriction at public restaurants.

The final tabulation shows that in Stockholm, Gothenburg, and Malmoe, as well as in other cities and suburban districts, both men and women were strongly against prohibition, while in the country districts in general, especially in the northern part of Sweden, both men and women as a rule favor prohibition. In the capital, for example, 90 percent of the men and 83 percent of the women were against the proposed measure. This may be contrasted with a certain agricultural section where 90 percent of the women and 73 percent of the men wanted two and one-fourth percent drinks.

It is interesting to note that the majorities of men and women were on the same side of the question in 15 provinces out of 25, while in the other 10 provinces the two sides of the family seemed to disagree in their taste for stimulants.

That Swedish women do not neglect the ballot is proved by the fact that in Stockholm they outnumbered the men at the polls by more than 9,000. And the showing for the entire country was 800,000 women as against 938,000 men.

The voting which took place Sunday, August 27, was conducted in the most orderly fashion. Lines began to form at nine in the morning at the various polling places in Stockholm. Among those who voted early were Premier Branting and his wife, who voted against prohibition, as did also Dr. Bratt, Sweden's "drink dictator," who is the originator of the present rationing system. Gay propaganda was carried on throughout the day by both sides by means of parades, mounted heralds, and even airplanes. At night the square in front of the Royal Opera was packed with thousands of people who amused themselves by watching the bulletins of results until three in the morning.

Singing Convention

Come to the singing convention Sunday at 3 o'clock at the court house. We are expecting the Union Concert Band to be present. Rev. L. L. Wagoner will be present and make an address on the importance of music. We also hope to have with us all the singing teachers and all choir leaders in the county and we extend to each of them a hearty welcome to come take part in the exercises. 1502-2tpd

Committee.

Baptists Put on Campaign

The Baptists of Union county have arranged to put on a campaign beginning Sunday in the Baptist churches throughout the county. The purpose is to press the matter of the pledges already made and to secure additional pledges. The campaign has been very successful so far, many churches having almost reached the three-fifths goal which should be reached in November of this year. It is hoped by the leaders of the movement that every church will have passed the three-fifths mile post by November.

The program below has been arranged by the executive committee, and the names of the four-minute men who will be used to carry the message to the churches is given. Sunday will be the first day of this drive. The particular speakers for each church will be assigned later in the week.

1. Bethesda, 11 a. m.; Upper Fairforest, 3:30 p. m.
2. Hebron, 11 a. m.; Westside, 7:30 p. m.
3. Lower Fairforest, 11 a. m.; Tabernacle, 7:30 p. m.
4. Padgett's Creek, 11 a. m.; Monticello, 7:30 p. m.
5. Gilead, 11 a. m.; Brown's Creek, 3:30 p. m.
6. Beulah, 11 a. m.; Fairview, 3:30 p. m.
7. Mt. Lebanon, 11 a. m.; West Springs, 3:30 p. m.
8. Sulphur Springs, 11 a. m.; Jonesville, 7:30 p. m.
9. Putnam, 11 a. m.; Buffalo, 7:30 p. m.
10. Philippi, 11 a. m.; Mt. Joy, 3:30 p. m.
11. Salem, 11 a. m.; Carlisle, 3:30 p. m.
12. Lockhart, 11 a. m.; Union, First, 6 p. m.

The following speakers have been appointed for the campaign:

Lewis M. Rice, J. E. Rong, W. B. Compton, Harold Jeter, W. L. Jolly, J. C. Cudd, C. T. Clary, J. F. Pittman, Robt. Hill, Thos. Brown, Jno. Little, J. A. Petty, J. A. Crosby, Neal Hendrix, W. H. Stone, J. R. Moore, Or. J. T. Jeter, B. F. Kennedy, H. E. Kennedy, E. S. Reeves, Davis Jeffries, J. A. Sawyer, C. C. Sanders, Prof. Hunt, E. C. Williams, Ed Smith, Paul Williams, D. Pant Gilliam.

Reverend of the above will be sent to each church and will present the matter of the 75 Million Campaign.

PAY YOUR SUBSCRIPTION AND GET YOUR LABEL DATED AHEAD

We have been slow to insist upon payment through the hard summer months. Now that the fall months are here, will you not send in your renewal?

Mr. Roy Vaughan is our collecting agent. When he calls upon you, will you not receive him cordially and pay him?

THE UNION DAILY TIMES

Orchards on the Farm

If there is any one thing badly needed as an adjunct to successful diversified farming in Darlington county, it is to immediately remedy the unpardonable neglect which has always been given to the planting of orchards.

It is remarkable that a fruit expert has not arisen in this county, along with experts in the cultivation of corn, experts in developing pedigree seed, experts in banishing common sows and scrub sires and substituting pure-bred Guernseys, Jerseys, Holsteins and other pedigree stock.

Among the high-class additions which should be made to farming, especially in this favored county, where the higher degree of farming is of long and honorable lineage, the orchard stands pre-eminent. There is no "farm" in Darlington county too small to have some fruit trees included in its bill of fare; there is no farm in the entire county which can afford to neglect any longer all the many advantages and benefits included in an orchard. There is sufficient "waste land" in this one progressive county to supply all local demands and then make large shipments of choice fruits to market.

For the immediate encouragement of interested ones who may not wish to drag through a rather tedious editorial, the success of one man may be referred to. This is an Abbeville farmer, and last week he made the statement that he would receive \$125 from two apple trees this year, and that he would make \$500 from the two acres he had planted in fruit trees.

Abbeville is a fine old county, but in the matter of farming Abbeville is not in the class with Darlington, and yet this one instance cannot be duplicated in Darlington county! "Referring again to 'waste land,' it is known that the lighter soils are the best for several varieties of fruit, notably the peach. Reducing the cotton crop, and going into the business system known as diversified farming, has made many idle acres in our county.

Planting forage utilizes much of this, but an orchard is a fine place to plant forage, and thus assist in cultivating the orchard and making a larger yield. Recent activities in the "sand hills" of Chesterfield county should be more encouraging to all prospective fruit growers.—Darlington News and Press.

The News and Courier is calling on the press of the state to express itself on the question of four-year terms of the general assembly, and at the same time would like to hear what the press has to say on the question of every other year meetings of the general assembly. The Herald has long been an advocate of quadrennial elections and biennial sessions of the general assembly and it is glad to see a newspaper of The News and Courier's standing lending its support to these progressive movements. A governor cannot accomplish much in two years. More than half of his two-year term is gone before he gets a firm grasp on the duties and responsibilities of his office. If it should so happen that a governor is elected who uses the power of his office to promote his political ambitions the state suffers. Under the four-year plan he would not have this opportunity. And the same may be said of a member of the general assembly. The annual 40-day session doesn't give him time to get on speaking terms with half the other members before he is in the throes of another campaign for reelection. Nearly all the progressive states in the union have long since adopted the quadrennial plan of electing governors and members of the general assembly, along with biennial sessions for their legislatures, and it is somewhat surprising that South Carolina clings to a system that was out of date a quarter of a century ago.—Dillon Herald.

The testing laboratory of one of the biggest writing paper factories in America is presided over by a woman—Miss Helen U. Kiley.

In collecting material for a series of magazine articles, Miss Gertrude Emerson has traveled more than 50,000 miles in the midst of the guerrilla warfare of India.



MISS FLORA BEDINI

Star equestrienne of the Sparks Circus pictured above with her favorite mount, "Jasper," coming to Union for two performances, Thursday, October 12th.

TO THE PATRONS OF UNION SCHOOLS:

Now that your children's eyes have been examined by your doctor, remember that if he does not make a specialty of this kind of work, that I am prepared to fit glasses. I give my whole time and attention to this work and guarantee satisfaction. I am here at all times to make good my guarantee.

Let me name to you some of your neighbors or friends who are satisfied users of my glasses.

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How to Judge an Investment

Just three tests will determine the desirability of any investment. These tests are: safety of principal, quick convertibility, and yield.

Seek safety first. Look next to the possibility of resale without loss. And profit is the final consideration. So runs the law of investment—which law your banker will help you to apply at any time.

"Large Enough to Serve Any—Strong Enough to Protect All"

**CITIZENS
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Black False Teeth Find A Market in Siam

London, Oct. 6.—An interesting feature of the International Dental Exhibition, now being held in London, are the sets of artificial teeth made of compositions as black as

ebony. They are intended for Siamese women, with whom it is the custom to stain the teeth black with betel nut to denote their married state.

Miss Agnes McPhail, the only woman member of the Canadian Parliament, has returned to the government with \$1,500 of her \$4,000 salary.