

WASHINGTON.

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The official vindications of the government officials who have been under suspicion are beginning to come in. It is usually the case when there is an investigation of any kind in the service that the most and the highest of the officials come out of the crash with if anything enhanced reputations. The Agricultural Department is proving no exception to the rule. The Secretary of Agriculture was able several days ago to announce the reinstatement of Prof. Moore of the division of soils and of Nitro Culture fame. It was explained that he was engaged in a work that no one else in the country was competent to carry out and that there was nothing wrong anyhow in his connection with the Nitro Culture company but that he had been "scared out of the department" before a due investigation of the case. Today a statement was issued by the Secretary of Agriculture that the investigation in the Bureau of Animal Industry had been concluded and triumphantly vindicated Dr. Salmon, the chief of that Bureau who was known to have been interested some time ago with Mr. Howard of the Howard Publishing company, the concern that for some years past has furnished the department with the patented meat inspection label used on all carcasses of animals passed by the government inspectors at the big packing houses. The word big may be used advisedly for it was mostly the big packers who succeeded in getting inspectors appointed; and without the government inspection it was impossible to sell meat abroad, most of the countries to which the United States exports, requiring a government certificate before allowing meat to be put on the market. There were a number of the smaller firms who were debarred not only from this trade but from the market in some states at home because they could not furnish government certified meat. The head of the Bureau of Animal Industry explained at the time that this shortage of inspectors was because of the scantiness of his appropriation. Of course the big packers had to be served first. At any rate there have been three indictments in connection with the Agricultural Department's Cotton leak scandal and it is said that in most of the government departments, all a deputy marshal has to do is to stand at the front door with a sheet of white paper folded lengthwise and yell "Indictment," to have every one in sight hunt cover.

Every Heart-Ache

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It is stated that the President will be a witness to the signature of the treaty wherever it is done and that if he is still on vacation when the document is ready, the envoys will probably go to Oyster Bay for the signing so that the President may be a figure in the painting that will be made to commemorate the event.

The Secretary of the Navy has announced the coming court-martial of Commander Lucien Young and Ensign Wade of the Bennington for "neglect of duty" in connection with the explosion on the warship. This will be deeply regretted among a very large circle of Commander Young's friends, for he was one of the most widely known and popular officers in the Navy. The Secretary of the Navy tempers his announcement with the inclusion of Lieut. Young and Ensign Wade among those favorably mentioned for courage and efficiency after the disaster, and it is sincerely hoped that the two officers will be able to make a satisfactory defense before a court martial.

An interesting document has been received at the State Department from Consul General Sammons at Newclang on the subject of American trade after the war. This report states that there is a good opening in the country for wagons and agricultural machinery besides many other articles of merchandise. It makes the very pertinent remark that it seems almost useless to remind American manufacturers that good commercial representatives familiar with the language should be sent into the country and that they would more than pay for the expense of employing them. But it says that this opening should not be overlooked even if the manufacturers will only send price lists and pictures of their wares. The state of the interior is still disturbed and there is evidence of the awful extent of the fighting in that in many spots the farmers are afraid to cultivate their fields owing to the frequent fatalities from the plow striking live shells in the ground. Many of the peasants have already been killed in this way.

Insanity Among Foreigners.

Poor Director Blames Meat for Conditions in Anthracite Region. Poor Director Frank White of Weatherly, has offered a novel, yet plausible, theory as to the alarming prevalence of insanity among the foreign element throughout the anthracite coal region. Mr. White, who has made a close study of the question during his incumbency as Director, says that in their native lands the foreigners are too poor to enjoy the luxury of meat and are practical vegetarians. When they come to the United States they eat much meat and consume great quantities of liquor, a combination that, he believes, is responsible for the deplorable condition of many of these people. The number of foreign speaking inmates in the insane institutions in the coal belt is increasing every year.

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Don't Get the Habit

The Dushore Review discourses thusly on the cigarette habit: It may be, sonny, that you feel as big as Cuffy when you are able to fish a little piece of rice paper from one pocket, a bag of tobacco from another, curl the paper up in the fingers of the left hand, sprinkle in some tobacco, and roll up a cigarette, finish it by swishing it around in your mouth, then strike a match on the seat of your pants and proceed to fire up. It may be that it looks very man-like, but there are people who differ with you. We could name you hundreds of places where they will not have you around if you have acquired this man-like(?) accomplishment. The latest is the Lehigh Valley Railroad. They have no use whatever for young men with yellow streaks on their fingers, denoting a too close acquaintance with My Lady Nicotine. Of course, if you intend to live with the "old man" it will make little difference. But, if you intend to earn your own living at any future time, it is best not to acquire the cigarette habit.

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PENNSYLVANIA LACKAWANNA Railroad.

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT NOVEMBER 27, 1904.

Table with columns for STATIONS, A.M., P.M., and times for Northward and Southward routes.

Table with columns for STATIONS, A.M., P.M., and times for Westward routes.

Daily, Daily, except Sunday. Stops only on signal notice to Agent or Conductor to receive or discharge passengers. Stops only on Sunday on notice to Conductor to discharge passengers, or on notice to Agent to receive passengers.

Table for PHILADELPHIA & READING RAILWAY, showing schedules for Northward and Southward routes.

LACKAWANNA Railroad.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION. In Effect March 1st, 1904.

Table with columns for STATIONS, A.M., P.M., and times for Eastward routes.

Table with columns for STATIONS, A.M., P.M., and times for Westward routes.

I Run daily. I Flag station. E. M. KINE, Supt. T. W. LEE, Gen. Pass. Agt.

Bloombsburg & Sullivan Railroad.

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Of course the real news of the week is not in Washington just now, but the officials of the State Department are greatly interested in the outcome of events at Portsmouth and no one of whatever politics will grudge President Roosevelt full praise for all that he has done to bring about peace. It came as a surprise to most of the foreign offices abroad to learn that an agreement of the plenipotentiaries had been reached. It has been thought and possibly hoped in the countries where the United States is not much liked that the conference would end in a break up and all the President's efforts would go for naught. But this eventuality has been happily avoided and it is possible after all that the treaty may be brought to Washington for signature in the Diplomatic Room of the State Department where signatures have already been affixed to so many important treaties. The Treaty of Washington would be a pleasant name to go down in history and the Diplomatic Room is being refitted and put in good order so that if the great session is concluded here everything will be in readiness.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

EXCURSIONS TO THE WEST

Advertisement for Rock Island Southern Pacific excursions to the Pacific Coast. Includes text about round-trip rates, reduced fares for certain dates, and contact information for F. J. Cheney & Co. Includes an illustration of a woman in a hat.

Table with columns for STATIONS, A.M., P.M., and times for Atlantic City, Ocean City, and Cape May routes.

Advertisement for PATENTS, featuring 50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE and Scientific American. Includes contact information for MUNN & Co. 361 Broadway, New York.

Advertisement for DR. LA FRANGOS' COMPOUND, a safe, quick, reliable regulator for various ailments. Includes contact information for Dr. La Franco, Philadelphia, Pa.

Advertisement for PARKER'S HAIR BALMS, promoting hair growth and health. Includes contact information for W. M. Terwilliger, Superintendent.