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THE CAYUTA LAND CO. OF SAYRE. Desires to announce that they have some very desirable building lots for sale on cheap and easy terms, and that they have placed the agency for selling them in the hands of ANDREW EVARTS of this place. All those wishing to provide themselves with homes or to invest in lots for speculative purposes will do well to consult with Mr. Everts before purchasing elsewhere. This plot of land is nearly surrounded by industrial plants with beautiful scenery and all the advantages of a modern town. Terms to suit purchasers. Steps are already being taken to supply all the land comprising this plot with a full supply of the best water the valley affords. When you come to look over the plot of ground take trolley to Springs Corners, cross bridge that crosses over L. V. R. R. when across bridge turn to the left and you are on the ground. There will be a man at the office Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons of each week to show you over the ground, or any other day by calling Valley Phone No. 244c. Andrew Everts, 109 Hospital Place, Sayre, Pa.

COAL QUALITY, QUANTITY, PRICE. IF you buy from COLEMAN HASSLER, No. 118 Erie St., Sayre, you get the three. Ask your neighbors. Both Phones.

Black Hand in Hazelton Mystery. HAZELTON, Pa., Dec. 2.—County Detective Jones discovered a clue that may solve the mystery surrounding the death of the woman whose charred remains were found in the woods near here a few days ago. He believes the victim was an Italian woman who eloped with a man from New York two months ago and came to Hazelton. The murder, he believes, was committed Friday or Saturday night in the Italian quarters of this city either by the Black Hand or friends of the husband, who is still in New York. The remains were identified here as those of the eloping woman.

Five Years For Robbing Dippel. NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—For robbing Andreas Dippel, the grand opera tenor, of \$1,200 worth of gems at the Hotel Majestic, Frank Van Ree was sent to Sing Sing for five years by Judge Cowling. Van Ree, who is an old offender, got work in the hotel as a window cleaner. He was thus enabled to enter the tenor's room and take watch, chains and rings.

Brought Joy to Congress Pages. WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Colonel John L. Andrus, a member of congress from the Yonkers (N. Y.) district, brought joy to the pages and the telephone and telegraph boys of the house by presenting each with a sum of money ranging from \$2 to \$5. The boys called in a body upon Mr. Andrus to personally thank him for his Christmas gift.

Three Deaths in Buffalo Fire. BUFFALO, Dec. 2.—Three persons were burned to death and two were fatally burned in a fire at the Zenobia apartment house at Prospect avenue and Huron street last night.

Weather Probabilities. Partly cloudy and warmer; north-east winds.

Cut out Her Pocket, Holding \$5,000. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Ella V. Kober was robbed of \$5,000 by a pickpocket in the holiday crowds in the shopping district here. The money was paid to Mrs. Kober by the Pennsylvania railroad in settlement of a claim on the death of her husband, who was killed in the electric railroad thoroughfare wreck near Atlantic City two months ago. Mrs. Kober had no faith in banks and had refused to accept a check from the railroad in payment of the claim and demanded cash. She received thirty one-hundred dollar and six five-hundred dollar notes, which she sewed in a secret pocket in an undershirt. While shopping with a friend she discovered that the pocket had been cut from her skirt and the money taken.

Capture Liberty Bird in Mid-ocean. NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—A huge American eagle, captured in mid-ocean, was brought to New York on the Anchor Line Furnessia and presented to the Bronx zoo. When the liner was 900 miles from land the eagle, evidently driven out of its way by the storm, came alongside the ship and after following it for hours became so exhausted through want of food that it dropped into the water. At the request of a number of the passengers Captain Blakey by means of a net captured the eagle and got it on board.

Put it Up to Car Builders. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 2.—At the interstate commerce hearing the testimony of railroad men was given to show that the present famine in railroad cars is due to the inability of car manufacturing plants to meet the demands of railroad companies. A. B. Starr, general superintendent of freight traffic of the Pennsylvania west of Pittsburg, said he favored a law that would require railroads to provide equipment in proportion to meet its traffic needs.

"DESERVED DEATH"

Roosevelt's Message on Dismissal of Negro Troops.

"BLACKEST CRIME IN ARMY ANNALS"

President Condemns in Forceful Terms Raid by Colored Troops on Brownsville, Tex.—Should Have Been Executed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—President Roosevelt's message dealing with his action in dismissing from the army 2 negro troops of the three companies of the Twenty-fifth infantry furnished the one great topic of interest in the senate's session.

A lively debate followed the reading of the message as to what should be done with it. Mr. Foraker wanted it sent to the military committee with instructions to make further investigation should the committee deem it necessary. He said that in reality much that appeared to be testimony was really not testimony, as much of it was not under oath. On objection from Senator Clay the senate postponed action.

The pension calendar was cleared by the passage of more than 200 private pension bills.

At the suggestion of Senator Lodge, President Roosevelt's Panama message will be reprinted for the senate in "normal" spelling.

The question whether the senate should make an independent investigation of the Brownsville raid was raised by Senator Foraker immediately after the reading of the president's message. He offered a resolution giving the committee on military affairs authority to make such an investigation if deemed necessary after con-

sideration of the testimony presented by the president.

Condemning in most forcible terms the raid on the town of Brownsville, Tex., by negro soldiers and the subsequent "conspiracy of silence" among the troops of that command to shield the guilty, President Roosevelt sent to the senate his reply to a resolution of inquiry from that body, in which he reiterated his judgment in discharging the three companies.

Denying that their discharge was ordered as a punishment, the president asserts that the only adequate punishment was death. He declares his keen regret at not being able to inflict that penalty.

That the shooting up of Brownsville was done by a party of from nine to fifteen negro soldiers the president says there can be no doubt whatever, and he brands their act as one "unparalleled for infamy in the annals of the United States army."

President Roosevelt's message says in part: "I ordered the discharge of nearly all the members of Companies B, C and D of the Twenty-fifth infantry by name in the exercise of my constitutional power and in pursuance of what, after full consideration, I found to be my constitutional duty as commander in chief of the United States army."

"I call your attention to the accompanying reports of Major Augustus P. Blockson, of Lieutenant Colonel Leonard A. Lovering and of Brigadier General Ernest A. Garlington, the inspector general of the United States army, of their investigation into the conduct of the troops in question.

"An effort has been made to discredit the fairness of the investigation into the conduct of these colored troops by pointing out that General Garlington is a southerner. Precisely the same action would have been taken had the troops been white—indeed, the discharge would probably have been made in more summary fashion. General Garlington is a native of South Carolina, Lieutenant Colonel Lovering is a native of New Hampshire, and Major Blockson is a native of Ohio. As it happens, the disclosure of the guilt of the troops was made in the report of the officer who comes from Ohio, and the efforts of the officer who comes from South Carolina were confined to the endeavor to shield the innocent men of the companies in question, if any such there were, by securing information which would enable us adequately to punish the guilty.

"But I wish it distinctly understood that the fact of the birthplace of either officer is one which I absolutely refuse to consider. The standard of professional honor and of loyalty to the flag and the service is the same for all officers and all enlisted men of the United States army, and I resent with the keenest indignation any effort to draw any line among them based upon birthplace, creed or any other consideration of the kind. I should put the same entire faith in these reports if it had happened that they were all made by men coming from some one state, whether in the south or the north, the east or the west, as I now do, when, as it happens, they were made by officers born in different states.

"Major Blockson's report is most careful and is based upon the testimony of scores of eyewitnesses—testimony which conflicted only in unessential details and which established the essential facts beyond chance of successful contradiction.

"The attack was made near midnight on Aug. 13. The following facts as to this attack are made clear by Major Blockson's investigation and have not been and, in my judgment, cannot be successfully controverted: From nine to fifteen or twenty of the colored soldiers took part in the attack. They leaped over the walls from the barracks and hurried through the town. They shot at whomsoever they saw moving, and they shot into houses where they saw lights. In some of these houses there were women and children as the would be murderers must have known. In one house in which there were two women and five children some ten shots went through at a height of about four and a half feet above the floor, one putting out the lamp upon the table. At the same time other raiders fired into another house in which women and children were sleeping, two of the shots going through the mosquito bar over the bed in which the mistress of the house and her two children were lying.

"In short, the evidence proves conclusively that a number of the soldiers engaged in a deliberate and concerted attack as cold blooded as it was cowardly, the purpose being to terrorize the community and to kill or injure men, women and children in their homes.

"People have spoken as if this discharge from the service was a punishment. I deny emphatically that such is the case, because as punishment it is utterly inadequate. The punishment meted for mutineers and murderers such as those guilty of the Brownsville assault is death, and a punishment only less severe ought to be meted out to those who have aided and abetted mutiny and murder and reason by refusing to help in their detection. I would that it were possible for me to have punished the guilty men. I regret most keenly that I have not been able to do so.

In conclusion the president said: "I challenge as a right the support of every citizen of this country, whatever his color, provided only he has in him the spirit of genuine and farsighted patriotism."

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