WEEK'S NEWS STORIES RETOLD

Events That Made a Stir Con densed to a Paragraph.

WHAT WASHINGTON IS DOING

News of Interest That Trickles From the White House and the Various Departments - Catalogue of Crimes and Casualties.

Washington

Rear-Admiral James H. Sands, retired, died in Washington. He was 66 years of age.

Attorney General Wickersham, discussing the suit against the United States Steel Corporation, said he did not expect the decision to be governed by the precedents combilehed in the by the precedents established in the Standard Oil and American Tobacco

Brigadier-General George H. Torney, surgeon-general of the army, in his annual report suggests that civil prac-titioners adopt the system of vaccinating against typhoid because of its successful use in the army.

The Department of Justice is estab-

lishing a card-index system in an effort to stamp out the white-slave traffic.

It was reported in Washington that the Tariff Board's reports on the wool and cotton schedules were almost

Personal

King Victor mmanuel purchased a series of thirty etchings by Joseph Pennell, the merican artist.

Richard Le Gallienne, divorced poet, forbidden to remarry in New York State, wedded Mrs. Irma Hinton Per-

y, a divorcee, in Connecticut. Governor Simeon E. Baldwin of Connecticut will be a candidate the presidency on the Democratic ticket, and his name will be presented to the national convention by the state delegation.

High tributes were paid to Edward M. Shepard at a memorial meeting at the College of the City of New York. Joseph Pulitzer, proprietor of "The New York World," died on board his yacht, off Charleston, S. C.

Miss Fola La Follette, daughter of Senator La Follette, of Wisconsin, and Mrs. La Follette, was married at the home of her parents to George Middleton, of New York, a playwright

Sporting

The victory of the Athletics in the world's series was a signal triumph for clean baseball.

Tyrus Raymond Cobb, generally considered the greatest natural base-ball player of the day, may be seen in the uniform of the New York Yankees next season.

Sam McVey, the California negro heavyweight, put a stop to Bill Lang in two rounds at Sydney, N. S. W., in the presence of 6,000 spectators.

The Princeton Tigers are blessed with better material this year than for several seasons, but the line is not quite strong enough to protect the wonderfully speedy but wofully ligh'

General

The General Education Board appropriated \$635,000 to be divided among six colleges on condition that they raise \$3,160,000.

Robbers cut out the telephone and telegraph wires at McComb, Okla., open the safe in the town bank and escaped with a large sum of

The Boston police said they had found a new witness in the Richeson case who asserts she saw the accused pastor and Avis Linnell together on the day of the tragedy.

President Taft addressed 1,600 workingmen at a luncheon in Milwaukee and said the law must be enforced against its violators in either the labor unions or the trusts, no matter whom it might hurt.

The funeral of Ida Lewis,, the life saver, was held at Newport, R. I., the whole city paying tribute to her mem ory; thousands viewed the body as it lay in state.

The Steel Trust issued a statement denying the charges made by the Government, said "if any harm results it will fall upon the stockholders and employees," and that the absorption of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company "was to prevent a threatened general financial disaster which would have adversely affected the corporation as well as others.'

Clever sleuthing on the part of customs men resulted in the arrest in New York of six stewards of the Ward liner Havana, and a tobacco dealer on the charge of smuggling

The consul general of Colombia, in an open letter, attacked ex-President Roosevelt for his course in the Pana-

Three divisions of the Atlantic fleet sailed from Hampton Roads for New York, where the greatest mobilization American war-ships in the country's history will be on viaw.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw was re-elected President of the National Woman's Suffrage Association.

Secretary of War Stimson, after an inspection of army posts in the Southwest, returned to Washington. Orville Wright fell with his glider

in an experimental flight at Kill Devil Hill, N. C.; he escaped with slight in-J. A. Heany's applications for pat-

ents on the Tungsten light, involving \$5,000,000, were rejected on the ground

President Mellen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Road said he saw no reason at present for a reduction of the 8 per cent. dividend.

Samuel McKnight Butler, an auto pioneer, was killed by his machine overturning while traversing Georgia with the Glidden party.

The eighth death among the follow ers of the Rev. Frank W. Sandford, who returned recently on the yacht Coronet, occurred at Portland, Me.

John R. Walsh, formerly a Chicago banker, died in his home in that city, nine days after his parole from Leavenworth Prison; he had been convicted of misappropriating funds.

Edward Hines denied before the Senatorial investigating committee at Milwaukee that he had anything to do with the election of Senator Stephen-

The Supreme Court of the United States cut the time for arguments with a view to learing the docket, now cumbered with more than eight hundred cases.

The convicted members of the New York Poultry Trust were sued for \$225,000, triple damages, under the Sherman law, by independent ship-

Walter Diehl was convicted of murder in the second degree on the charge of being the principal in the lynching of Carl Etherington, an anti-saloon detective, at Newark, Ohio.

Counsel for the defense in the Mc-Namara trial protested against the presiding Judge's method of examining talesmen on the ground that it indicated a desire to prevent disqualification of the man questioned.

The Rev. Frank Sandford, leader of the Holy Ghost and Us Society, was arrested at Shiloh, Me., by a federal officer, on a warrant charging neglect of his crew and followers on their re-

cent cruise.

George Stovall is authority for the statement that he will manage the Washington team next year. He says Harry Davis will handle the Cleve-

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Judge Bordwell and Clarence Darrow, attorney for the defense in the McNamara case, came into collision when the Court refused to immediately rule on the eligibility of challenged talesmen as jurors and Darrow refused to proceed.

Because the mob was too drunk, A. B. Walker, a negro and confessed mur-derer, escaped a lynching in Washington, Ga., after the rope was around his neck.

Professor Robert J. Sprague of the Massachusetts Agricultural College at Amherst, in looking over the last state census, figures that the Yankee race is threatened with extinction. Rugs and automobiles are blamed in part for the falling off of the birth rate.

After repeated refusals to answer in quiries concerning the ownership of stock in the Journal Company, of Albany, of which he is president, William Barnes, Jr., chairman of the Republican State Committee, was declared in contempt by the Senate committee which is investigating Albany city and county affairs.

Foreign

A French village notary bequeathed \$400,000 to the King of Spain The Bank of Mitylene in Palestine

suspended payment. Later reports from the battle in Tripoli say that 1,000 Mussulmans were

killed and 100 Italians killed or wounded. Addressing a deputation of the Brandenburg Senate, the German Kaiser urged the clergy to let dogmatic

preaching alone and pay more attention to the person of Christ An army expedition sailed secretly from Naples; a state of panic was re-ported in Tripoli, where the Italian

garrison, 15,000 strong, was said to be threatened by 60,000 well equipped Fears were expressed at Peking that the negotiation of the new Chinese loan would create an anti-foreign feeling among the revolutionists: Peking was in a state of near panic and a general exodus of Manchus was

begun. News has reached Nogales, Mexico, that 47 Chinamen have been massacred near Guaymas, at the scene of re-building and repairing of the Southern Pacific Railroad track, which was swept by the recent storm.

Turkish forces attacked Homs, near Tripoli, but were repulsed with heavy

The ex-Shah's Turcomans, aided by Russian troops and gunboats, defeat ed a Persian government force.

Conditions in Peking are growing more and more precarious, natives are taking to flight and the American Le gation has been partly fortified.

The "Frankfurter Zeitung" publish-

ed the points of the Franco-German agreement, defining the status of the Fatherland and its subjects in Moroc

WARSHIP FLEET SIX MILES LONG

Enormous Crowds Admire Impressive Naval Pageant.

VESSELS AGLITTER AT NIGHT

Battleships, Dreadnoughts, and Cruisers Outlined in Brilliant Lights as Thousands Look On-Batteries of Searchlights Add to the Picture.

New York.-In other respects than mere number of ships and power of armament, the naval review at New York eclipsed any naval pageant ever seen in this country. President Taft not only sailed through the four lines of ships at anchor in the Hudson River, but watched the armada pick up its anchors and get under way.

He led the long column down the

bay and off Staten Island moved aside on the Mayflower and again reviewed

the fleet as it passed out to sea.
Four lines of ships stretching eight miles, from 57th street to Supyten Duyvil, formed this monster attrac-tion. It was New York's greatest naval show, and the probability that nothing like it will be seen in these ports for another decade helped to drive the populace to the river front. By early afternoon vast crowds had gathered on Riverside Drive from 72d street to the end of the extension near Dykeman street, and had overrun Riverside and Fort Washington parks.

At every pier and landing place along this stretch launch, steamboat, rowboat and canoe owners bargained and made change furiously all day, although for some time after their customers began swamping the accommodations no visitors were allowed aboard the warships. Not until a quarter of the twenty thousand sail-ors which the fleet carries had obtained shore leave and come ashore in countless boatloads were the "cits' allowed to approach the warships nearer than a hundred yards, and in the mean time many a controversy arose between irate ticket holder and sullen boat owner over the latter's inability to put his passenger aboard some fighting craft.

A complete list of the fleet follows:

BATTLESHIPS. Connecticut, Florida, Utah, Delaware, North Dakota, Michigan, Louisiana, South Carolina, Kansas, Vermont, New Hampshire, Minnesota, Mississip pi, Idaho, Missouri, Ohio, Georgia, Nebraska, New Jersey, Virginia, Maine, Iowa, Indiana and Massachusetts.

ARMORED CRUISERS. Washington and North Carolina.

PROTECTED CRUISERS.
Salem and Des Moines. DESTROYERS.

Reid, Flusser, Lamson, Preston, Smith, Drayton, Paulding, McCall, Roe, Perry, Perkins, Mayrant, Sterett, Walker, Warrington, Patterson, Monaghan, Ammen, Burrows, Trippe, Mac-donough and Warden.

TORPEDO BOATS. Porter, Blakely, Dupont, Barney, Biddie, Craven, Dahlgren, De Long, Shubrick, Stockton, Tingey, Wilkes, Bagley, Bailey, Styingham and Mor-

SUBMARINES.

Brayling, Bonita, Narwal, Salmon, Snapper, Stingray, Tarpon and Octo-

TORPEDO BOAT TENDERS Dixie, Castine and Severn. GUNBOATS.

Nashville, Dolphin, Petrel and Mari-

AUXILIARIES.

Prairie (transport) San Francisco (mine layer), Lebanon (ammunition ship), Panther (repair ship), Mayflower (converted yacht), Yankton (tender), Celtic and Culgoa (supply ships) and Solace (hospital ship),

COLLIERS.
Neptune, Cyclops, Hector, Mars, Vulcan, Ajax, Brutus and Sterling. OIL TANKER.

Arethusa.

TUGS. Patuxent, Patapsco and Potomac. SHMMARY

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	Te	Tons.	
24	battleships	366,864	
2	armored cruisers	29,000	
2	cruisers	6,950	
22	destroyers	15,463	
16	torpedo boats	2,994	
8	submarines		
3	tenders to torpedo fleet	8,466	
4	gunboats	4,733	
9	miscellaneous	40,733	
8	colliers	93,938	
1	oil tanker	6,159	
3	tugs	1,981	

102 vessels of all classes577.285 A scene of panoramic gayety and brilliancy was presented in the North River when the twenty-eight battle ships and cruisers were illuminated from stem to stern and to the topmost point of the fire controls, and the fleet of torpedo boats, destroyers, submarines and other war craft turned on their searchlights. For almost miles, extending northward from 57th street, there was presented a wonder ful picture, beheld by hundreds thousands who thronged both sides of the river or traveled up and down in boats. The outline of every battleship was marked by long rows lights, and the detail of fire control, funnel, turret and deck was shown by rows of electric lights.

CAREFUL MANAGEMENT NEEDED IN BREEDING COWS FOR DAIRY

Animals That Produce Pound of Butter and Cheese the Cheapest Are the Ones to Keep—One Reason Why So Many Herds Do Not Return Profit From Their Food and Cost of Attendance.



A Prize Winning Jersey Heifer.

(By W. M. KELLY.)

There is no phase of the dairy business that needs more study or more careful management than does the breeding of the cow.

Upon the cow depends success or failure and we must, after selecting her, look to her care and her feed, and to the handling of her products.

The fact that dairymen have devoted more attention to other phases of their dairying than to the breeding and development of the cow is one of the reasons why so many of our dairy herds are not capable of returning a profit from their food and cost of attendance.

We are often asked which is the best breed of dairy cattle to select for the dairy? To such men I would say that there is no best breed. Some because they have Jerseys they are on the royal road to success Others think that the Holsteins will bring prosperity to the farm.

This is a sad mistake, for scrubs are very common among the purebreeds, and a pure-bred scrub is without doubt the worst scrub of all.

Select cows having individual ex cellence as determined by the Babcock test and scales in starting a Better and more uniform results of breeding may be secured if the animals are of one type of breed and great care should be exercised in get-ting individuals which possess to a certainty the characteristics we desire

to perpetuate in the herd. What we dairymen want is a herd of cows that will give a profit at the pail, whether pure-breds or grades. The ones that will produce a pound of butter or cheese the cheapest are the ones that we want to keep in our

We have a number of improved breeds of dairy cows that represent the skill of years in their perfection, but in adopting any of these breeds we should consider the conditions and environments under which they have been developed in their original homes and then plan to make our care and feed and general management form to the conditions under which the breed had been developed.

If a man has Jerseys, give them Isle of Jersey care and feed for they cannot succeed on scrub fare and fodder. They were not intended for that pur-

The Jersey cow is a delicate, nervous machine and requires warmth, kindness and liberal feeding to make

If Holsteins are selected do not expect them to thrive on closely cropped, scanty pastures where they are compelled to rustle all day to gather suf-

veloped under, large amounts of suc-culent forage and well cured hay,

You may get pure-breds if you can afford them, but all farmers are not able to buy pure-breds. However, always use a pure-bred sire.

The breeding bull always represents half the value of the breeding power of the herd if it is desired to grow calves for the dairy. known families of the breed and be

sure that he possesses prepotency which gives promise of being a good calf-getter. A bull of this kind will give excellent results in improving herd. Some of the best herds in the

country are high grades that have re-sulted from the continued use of good In order to be successful as breeders we must learn some of the lessons associated with our stock: have our selection and mating be seeking to improve the type and standard in

The best special purpose animal is none too good. Never strive to produce a general purpose animal by mixing beef and dairy breeds. Aim to produce the animal whose special characteristic is the cheap production of a pound of butter or a gallon of

pound of butter or a gallon of vays seek to have the crosses in ony. Do not mate extremes and constitution are two essential unless a cow possesses vigor in constitution are two essential to it. They will pick at the meat instead of pulling feathers. Always seek to have the crosses in harmony. Do not mate extremes Vigor and constitution are two essen-

constitution she will make a poor breeder.

Do not inbreed unless you have a definite object in view, such as intensifying some particular good quality and then do it by breeding the sire to some of his own get.

This should not be followed up too closely. Plan to have the heifers drop their first calves at about 24 to 30 months of age. Their offspring will be more vigorous and there will be better results than by forcing an immature animal to bear progeny.

Breed cows are large feeders. Feed

them a liberal ration of milk-produc-ing foods and give them the best of care. Keep in mind that bad qualities are more easily transmitted than the good ones.

MULCHING THE STRAWBERRY BED

Where Straw Is Not Readily Ob-tainable it Is Difficult to Get a Covering of Right Thickness.

(By H. F. GRINSTEAD, Missouri.)

Where straw is readily obtainable it is difficult to spread properly over the strawberry plants so that it will be thick enough yet not smother the plants or require raking off in the string.

A mulch of oats or sorghum is the best thing I know of that may be

sown between the rows.
Oats alone has been tried, but from the fact that we often have a very dry fall it has not always made a satisfactory growth before frost.

Sorghum or kaffir corn are dry weather plants, and if there is sufficient moisture in the soil to germinate the seed they will grow till frost. A good plan is to sow oats and sorghum or oats and kaffir corn in mixture and thick enough so that it will

not be coarse. As soon as it is killed by the frost the sorghum will fall, making an ideal mulch. Then, as the weather becomes more severe the oats will be killed. Mulch grown in this way will always be found thickest where peeded—in bare places and between the

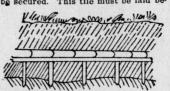
It cannot possibly smother out the plants no matter how rank it grows, and is the best for keeping the fruit off the ground in the spring.

One of the greatest advantages in mulch of this kind is that you are reasonably sure to have no weeds sown with it, as is often the case when using wheat straw.

Give them the care they were de- LAY DRAIN TILE THROUGH SWAMP

Good Plan Shown Where Ground Is So Soft as to Not Per-mit of Digging Satisfactory Ditch.

It is frequently advisable to lay drain tile through a bog or swamp where the ground is so soft as not to permit digging a satisfactory drain ditch. By driving stakes in the ground and laying a one-inch board tops of them, and upon this laying the line of tile, a good flow of water can be secured. This tile must be laid be-



low the wet weather water level and after the land has been thoroughly drained for a year or two the tile can be removed and the stakes deeper, so that it rests upon solid

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Literary Criticism. They were discussing a certain authoress at dinner, and a well-known critic raised a laugh by remarking: "Well, her hair's red, even if her books are not."

The mild young man in the corner made a mental note fo the sally for fu-ture use, and at another party shortly afterward he carefully guided the conversation into literary channels, Tit-Bits informs its readers. Fortunately, some one mentioned the desired name and he triumphantly cried out: "Well, she's got red hair, even if her books haven't!"

He that doth a base thing in zeal for his friends burns the golden thread that ties their hearts together .- Jeremy Taylor.

THE TEA PENALTY.

A Strong Man's Experience.

Writing from a busy railroad town the wife of an employe of one of the great roads says:

"My husband is a railroad man who has been so much benefited by the use of Postum that he wishes me to exor Postum that he wishes he to express his thanks to you for the good it has done him. His waking hours are taken up with his work, and he has no time to write himself.

"He has been a great tea drinker

all his life and has always liked it

strong. "Tea has, of late years, acted on him like morphine does upon most people. At first it soothed him, but only for an hour or so, then it began to affect his nerves to such an extent that he could not sleep at night, and he would go to his work in the morning wretched and miserable from the loss of rest. This condition grew constantly worse, until his friends per-suaded him, some four months ago, to quit tea and use Postum.

breakfast, but as he liked the taste of it, and it somehow seemed to do him good, he added it to his evening meal. Then, as he grew better, he began to drink it for his noon meal, and now will drink nothing else at table.
"His condition is so wonderfully improved that he could not be hired to

"At first he used Postum only for

give up Postum and go back to tea. His nerves have become steady and reliable once more, and his sleep is easy, natural and refreshing. He owes all this to Postum, for he has taken no medicine and made no

other change in his diet. "His brother, who was very nervous from coffee-drinking, was persuaded by us to give up the coffee and use Postum and he also has recovered his health and strength.' Name given by

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