

BEATTIE'S PLANS.

Line on Defense to Save Young Virginian Leaks Out.

MAY CALL CATHOLIC PRIEST.

Attorneys For Man Accused of Murdering Wife Will Attack Veracity of Paul Beattie's Testimony With View of Discrediting Story.

Chesterfield Court House, Aug. 22.—The immovable calmness of Beattie in his fight for life is strikingly illustrated. During the court recesses he holds jocular chats with friends who gather about the window of the little room where he is confined. In the course of one of these conversations, one of his friends, an insurance agent, remarked:

"Henry, you had better let me sell you \$10,000 worth of life insurance."
"Better make it \$100,000," came back the reply, "I'll probably need it."

And the gathering laughed. Beattie joining in heartily.

Beulah Binford has not appeared here yet. She may be called as a witness during the trial, but as yet the pretty "girl in the case" remains in a cell in Richmond, surrounded by pictures of Beattie—she has no less than forty-five in the jail—reading the newspaper extras and professing confidence of his acquittal.

Although the Binford girl is not present, a married sister of hers appeared on the courthouse lawn and was a center of interest.

Paul Beattie, the prisoner's cousin, who has sworn that he purchased the gun with which Louise Welford Owen Beattie was shot, is under instructions to be ready to make the journey by automobile to Chesterfield.

The star witness for the prosecution, Paul, has said little since his incarceration, but on his testimony the commonwealth hopes to send his twenty-six-year-old cousin to the electric chair. The Binford girl may be called as a witness as the trial progresses.

To Virginia's credit it is noted that not one white woman was in court when the prisoner was indicted, and barring those who may be called as witnesses, few of the women have so far attempted to crowd into the little courtroom during the trial.

It became known here that Paul Beattie will be the weak spot in the case of the prosecution, at which Harry M. Smith and Hill Carter, two of Virginia's ablest lawyers, will aim the big guns of their defense. The fact as claimed that Paul did not tell the whole truth in his story of buying for Henry the second hand shotgun with which the killing was done will form the basis for the case of the defense.

A Catholic priest may become the lever with which the defense will try to pry Henry Beattie loose from the death clasp of the electric chair. It has become known that the day his cousin was indicted Paul Beattie, who is a Catholic, summoned a priest to his cell in the Henrico county jail. Locked in his bosom that priest carries the secret for which the attorneys for the defense might give all the wealth they could command.

The heavy pall of the confessional surrounds the story that Paul Beattie told the priest, and it is beyond the pale of the law.

But the lawyers for the defense may call the confessor to the stand and place before the jury the moral effect of the priest's refusal to tell the story related by Paul Beattie. The strength of this course with a jury of farmers can only be conjectured.

Seven jurors had been accepted when court opened today. The examination of others is progressing slowly and it is probable that the jury will not begin hearing evidence before tomorrow.

NOT TO BEAR FATHER'S NAME

Infant Son of Beattie Is With Grandparents at Dover.

Dover, Del., Aug. 22.—The eleven-week-old son of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., on trial at Chesterfield for the alleged murder of his wife, is in Dover. The little one was brought from Newport News, Va., by its maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Owen. It is with them at their home here, and it is announced will remain here during the progress of the trial of its father for his life.

Mr. Owen, the grandfather, says it has not yet been decided what the little one will be named. It, however, will not be called after its father, as was intended before the murder of the young wife and mother. The grandmother will rear the child no matter what the outcome of the case may be. The grandparents do not expect to attend the trial and will not do so unless either of them should be subpoenaed.

TALE OF THE WEATHER.

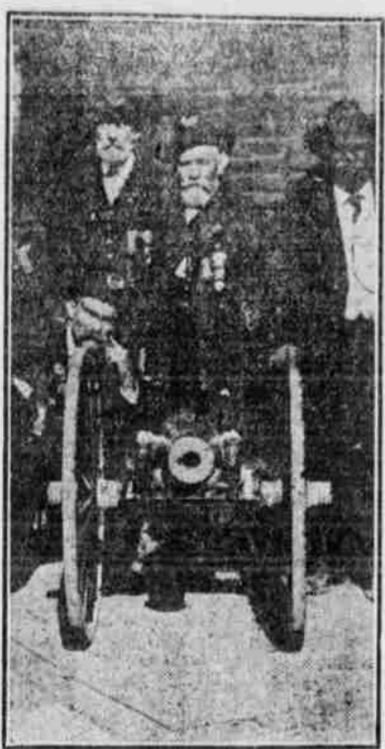
Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

Temp.	Weather.
New York..... 73	Clear
Albany..... 73	Clear
Atlantic City... 72	Clear
Boston..... 70	Clear
Buffalo..... 76	Clear
Chicago..... 80	Cloudy
St. Louis..... 72	Cloudy
New Orleans... 84	Cloudy
Washington.... 74	Clear

If you live by nature you will never be poor; if by opinion, never rich.—Epicurus.

LOS ANGELES DELEGATION.

Far West Boosters For Next Encampment of G. A. R.



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Rochester, Aug. 22.—Eight thousand soldiers are attending the forty-fifth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. The parade tomorrow perhaps will be the last at a national encampment.

The opening session of the encampment will be held in Convention hall tonight. Addresses will be made by Governor Dix, Mayor Edgerton and Department Commander George B. Loud. Commander in Chief John E. Gilman will respond.

A conspicuous delegation attending the encampment is the old Los Angeles Veteran Pipe and Drum Corps. There are fifteen of these veterans, and each one saw active service during the war. All of them have battle scars.

The Pacific delegation is making a vigorous campaign to get the next national G. A. R. encampment at Los Angeles.

TRIED TO BRIBE JUDGE?

Lawyer Also Accused of Having Approached Opposing Counsel.

Kingston, N. Y., Aug. 22.—Four men accused of being expert pickpockets operating on Hudson river steamers and trains were sentenced to six months in the Albany penitentiary here, but a more serious charge—that of attempting to bribe both judge and opposing counsel—was lodged against the man who appeared as attorney.

Amos Van Etten, attorney for the New York Central railroad, told the court that this lawyer, who gave his name as Theodore Schwake and said he was a New York attorney, had offered him an automobile if he would withdraw the complaint. Soon afterward Recorder Groves ordered Schwake's arrest. The recorder said that while he was talking with the attorney the latter slipped \$20 into his desk. Schwake was held in \$5,000 bail for a hearing tomorrow.

The men sentenced were Joseph Steiner, Martin Ryan, William Barnett and James Stickney.

CHILD DIES OF FRIGHT.

Had Received False Report of Parents' Death.

Mattawan, N. Y., Aug. 22.—When she was told that the wagon in which her father and mother were riding to this village from Tioronda had been struck by an automobile Adele Kourhi, eight years old, immediately went into convulsions and died a few hours later. Doctors who were called said she died from fright.

Mr. and Mrs. Kourhi were not seriously injured.

Prominent Antislavery Dies.

Wellesley, Mass., Aug. 22.—Gamaliel Bradford, reformer, student of political economy and imperialist and prominently identified with the antislavery movement in "before the war" days, died at the home of his son in this city as the result of injuries sustained in an electrical car accident.

He Didn't Know.

One June day in 1862 near Fredericksburg, Va., General Stonewall Jackson saw one of General Hood's Texans climbing a fence to get into a cherry tree. "Where are you going?" shouted Jackson. "I don't know," replied the soldier. "To what command do you belong?" "I don't know," the Texan replied. "Well, what state are you from?" "I don't know," Jackson gave the man up, but he asked a comrade what it all meant. "Well," was the reply, "Old Stonewall and General Hood gave orders yesterday that we were not to know anything until after the next fight."

The soldier was left to his cherries.

Lots of Room.

"Did you hear that passenger complaining that the car is overcrowded?" asked the man on the platform.
"Yes," replied the conductor. "Now, how can he call a car overcrowded when anybody in it has breath to yell as loud as he does?"—Washington Star.

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ASKS THE COURT TO ORDER WAR

Dr. J. E. Buckley Would Have Mexico Invaded.

HE SUES PRESIDENT TAFT.

Chicago Physician Alleges That Germany and Japan Are in Scheme to Land Troops—Rights of Americans Endangered, He Says.

President Taft has been sued in a court of law to compel him to perform administrative or, as lawyers would say, "ministerial" acts. Dr. James Edward Buckley, a practicing physician of Chicago, who has twice instituted proceedings against Secretary of State Philander C. Knox, brought an action against President Taft in the Washington District supreme court and asked that a mandamus be issued to compel the chief executive to show cause why he should not be compelled to direct attention of congress to the conditions in Mexico and recommended that an army for the conquest of that republic be promptly dispatched thither by way of the gulf and the Pacific.

Sees Invasion by Germany.

This should be done, the complainant states, to prevent a "ruinous war, which would entail the loss of the Philippines, the Hawaiian Islands and the canal," through the co-operation of the Japanese now in Mexico with German troops.

Dr. Buckley contemplates an invasion of Mexico by the Germans to "enforce the death penalty on Mexicans for the murder of German subjects and an assault on a German woman." The president must appear in court in person or by attorney if the court should entertain the complaint.

Files the Papers Personally.

The suit was filed by the physician personally. On Aug. 9 and again on Oct. 3, both of last year, Dr. Buckley sued in the same court for a mandamus against Secretary of State Knox to compel him to perform certain acts. Both suits were dismissed.

The president is accused of "indifference toward the life and liberty of Americans and others residing in Mexico." It is declared that a week before the last adjournment of congress the chief executive possessed information which would have justified an array and navy demonstration down there. He demands to know why congress was not informed about it. The sending of the soldiery to Texas is characterized as a political move.

Visions of a Money Plot.

The Diaz administration is called a "Wall street exporting agency," with Henry Taft, brother of the president, as its "chief attorney." The president is charged with having embarrassed and handicapped the insurgent party in Mexico by mobilizing the army on the frontier. The petition further states that the Mexican situation has been "doctored with American money interests." Henry Taft is said to see things from a Wall street point of view, and the physician thinks he "communicates his viewpoint to the president." This, he declares, can be confirmed by Attorney General Wickensham, who is mentioned in the petition as Henry Taft's former law partner.

Details of alleged holdups, robberies and other unlawful acts are set out in the petition. The cost of filing the petition was \$10, which Dr. Buckley paid.

GOLD FOUND IN IDAHO.

Chinese Trader Tells of Discovery Made on Exploration Trip.

Placer ground rich in gold has been discovered in the Blackfoot district in northern Idaho, ninety-three miles southeast of Spokane, by Ah Yen, a Chinese trader, according to his statements to officials of the United States customs house in Spokane on returning from an exploration trip along the Washington-Idaho border.

The deposits, which are four miles from a flowing stream and require not less than fifteen miles of tumbles to convey water to the gravel, were found more than thirty years ago by two Chinese prospectors, who were killed and robbed by a white man.

Yen says that a woman who sewed the poke to hold the miners' gold told the rustler of the find of the Chinese and urged him to locate claims. Instead he murdered the miners and carried off their nuggets.

WILSON IS SEVENTY-SIX.

Oldest Member of Taft's Cabinet Has Held Office Since 1897.

Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson, who is the oldest member of the president's cabinet and who has held his portfolio since 1897, a longer period than any other cabinet officer in the history of the government, recently observed the seventy-sixth anniversary of his birth.

Secretary Wilson was born Aug. 16, 1835, in Ayrshire, Scotland, which was also the birthplace of Robert Burns.

Mr. Wilson came to this country at the age of sixteen with his parents and after a brief residence in Connecticut settled in Tama county, Ia., combining farming with politics. Before entering McKinley's first cabinet Mr. Wilson served in the Ohio assembly and was three times a representative in congress.

EGYPTIAN DRESS.

Fall Fashions Taken From Mystical Orient.



GOWN BY CALLOT SOEURS OF PARIS.

In many of the smartest styles for fall and winter there is a decided leaning toward adaptations of Egyptian and East Indian modes. The Callot Soeurs of Paris have for a number of years been noted for their Egyptian looking costumes.

The gown illustrated is a creation of this famous firm of couturiers, and the colorings are particularly interesting. The foundation of the dress is of a peculiar East Indian red, veiled with a rather bright blue chiffon. The embroidery is done in dull blue and mauve silk and dark blue wooden beads.

For Traveling.

Take a candle in your bag and a box of safety matches. When they are wanted you will be glad they were put in. The space required for them is small. A passenger on a steamer that was wrecked had a small candle which enabled her to collect some of her most valuable possessions when the lights went out after the collision. Carry a few pens in your bag if you do not use a fountain pen. You will find that it is worth while, as the pens provided at some hotels and other public places are often so bad that it is impossible to use them with any satisfaction.

Envelopes used in packing small articles will be found better than boxes, as they take up less room. Stout, collapsible envelopes, which may be bought where office supplies are sold, will be found satisfactory. Gloves, handkerchiefs, neck arrangements, etc., may be kept nicely in such envelopes.

Riding Toggery.

In summer informal riding habits are worn, but when autumn days arrive these clothes give place to those of a more formal character. For fall



WHAT THE SWAGGER HORSEWOMAN WEARS. The newest habit is built of a very small black and white checked cloth, with breeches and coat to match. The illustration shows the correct riding habit of this cloth.

Reverting to Type.

From the fresco paintings of women in the Cretan palaces of the period about 2000 B. C. it is learned that the women of that time pinched in their waists, had bunched or accordion-plaited skirts, wore an elaborate coiffure on their heads, shoes with high heels and hats which might have come from a Parisian hat shop, while one woman might be described as wearing a tulle enloute.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for the nomination to the office of County Commissioner of Wayne county, and respectfully solicit the support of my friends at the primaries to be held on September 30, 1911.
J. L. SHERWOOD.
Preston, Pa., Aug. 15, 1911.
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REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I respectfully ask the Republican voters of Wayne county to give me their earnest support at the primary election to be held Saturday, Sept. 30, 1911.

Sincerely yours,
JOHN MALE.
Cherry Ridge, Pa. 62w9

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I have announced my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the will of the voters at the coming primaries, Sept. 30, and will be glad to have the support of all my friends at that time. If nominated and elected I will give the office my best services and do all in my power to satisfy the taxpayers of the county.

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