

QUIZ SECRETARY WILSON.

Agriculture Department Head Asked About Son's Fine Position.



Washington, July 18.—Secretary of Agriculture Wilson was "on the carpet" before the house agricultural committee to explain the connection of his son Jasper, formerly his private secretary, with a Colorado irrigation and reclamation concern.

He denied that he aided in securing the job for his son, asserting that he did not even know what salary Jasper Wilson received.

T. R. ABANDONS HIS TRIP.

Will Not Visit Western States Before Convention as Planned.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 18.—Colonel Roosevelt is not going to make his projected western tour before the Chicago convention. It has been the colonel's plan to visit Iowa, Michigan and Kansas to do a little moulting of public opinion before the delegates from those states to the progressive convention were selected. The date for his departure on this pre-convention trip had not been definitely set, but it was practically settled that he would leave Oyster Bay some time between Monday and Friday of next week.

Now all this has been changed. Senator Dixon, George W. Perkins and O. K. Davis motored down to Oyster Bay and dined with the colonel at Sagamore Hill. Colonel Roosevelt had announced beforehand that the final decision about the trip to the three states of the middle west would be reached at this conference.

When the conference was over Mr. Davis, speaking for Colonel Roosevelt, announced that the trip had been given up because of the press of work for the colonel at his headquarters here in New York. Mr. Davis explained there were so many questions coming up continually at the Roosevelt headquarters in New York—questions that required Mr. Roosevelt's attention and which only the colonel could decide—that it was impossible for him to get away long enough to make the trip he had planned.

Mr. Roosevelt will remain at Sagamore Hill until he goes to the convention, which is to open in Chicago on Aug. 5. He is now working on the statement of his position on the various questions of interest at the present time, and it is expected that this statement will be ready for publication very soon.

Market Reports.

New York, July 18. BUTTER—About steady; receipts, 13,181 packages; creamery, extras, lb., 22 1/2c; firsts, 22 1/4c; seconds, 22 1/8c; thirds, 22 1/4c; state dairy, tubs, finest, 22c; good to prime, 21 3/4c; common to fair, 21 1/2c; process, extras, 20c; firsts, 20 1/2c; seconds, 20 1/4c; factory, current make, seconds, 20 1/4c; thirds, 20 1/8c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 20 1/4c; No. 2, 19 3/4c.

CHEESE—Firm; receipts, 2,645 boxes; state, whole milk, new, specials, white, lb., 15 1/4c; colored, 15 1/2c; average fancy white, 15c; colored, 15 1/4c; under-grades, 15 1/8c; daisies, 15 1/4c; state skims, new, specials, white, 15 1/4c; colored, 15 1/2c; fair to choice, 15c; under-grades, 14 3/4c.

EGGS—Irregular; receipts, 20,504 cases; fresh gathered, extras, doz., 22 1/2c; extra firsts, 22 1/4c; firsts, 22 1/8c; seconds, 18 1/2c; drittles, 18 1/4c; checks, 18 1/4c; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, hennery whites, fancy large, 22 1/2c; fair to good, 22 1/4c; hennery browns, 22 1/2c; gathered brown and mixed colors, 22 1/4c.

HAY AND STRAW—Weak; timothy, 100 lbs., 90c; alfalfa, shipping, 90c; clover, mixed, 85c; long rye straw, 60c; oat, 40c; annual, bales 60c less.

POTATOES—Firm; southern, No. 1, bbl., \$2.25; second, 11; culls, \$1.25; Jersey, cobbler, new, bbl., \$2.25; Long Island, bbl., \$2.25; southern, new, yellow, per bbl., \$4.50; southern, new, red, per bbl., \$3.50; Yama, southern, new, per bbl., \$4.50.

DRESSED POULTRY—Fowl killed, stronger; chickens, dry plucked, Philadelphia broilers, 22c; Pennsylvania broilers, 22 1/2c; western broilers, 22 1/2c; fowls, dry plucked, western boxes, 15 1/2c; bbls., 15 1/4c; old roosters, 12 1/2c; spring ducks, nearby, 18 1/2c; squabs, white, dozen, \$1.50; dark, \$1.25; frozen turkeys, No. 1, 2 1/2c; No. 2, 1 1/2c; chickens, roasters, milk fed, 22 1/2c; corn fed, 19 1/2c; fowls, 4 and 5 lbs. each, 15 1/2c.

Live Stock Markets.

Pittsburgh, July 18. CATTLE—Supply light, market steady; choice, \$7.50; prime, \$7.25; good, \$7.00; 2 1/2; tidy, \$7.25; fair, \$6.75; common to good fat bulls, \$4.75; do. cows, \$3.50; heifers, \$4.75; fresh cows and springers, \$3.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply light, market steady; prime wethers, \$4.75; good mixed, \$4.50; fair mixed, \$4.50; 4; yearlings, \$3.50; spring lambs, \$4.50; 7.25; veal calves, \$2.25; heavy and thin, \$4.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 15 double decks; market steady; prime heavy, \$1.50; mixed, \$1.50; medium heavy and light Yorkers, \$1.50; pigs, \$1.50; roughs, \$1.50; stags, \$4.50.

GIRL HELD PRISONER

She Is Forced by Youths to Drink Whisky.

DIES OF ACUTE ALCOHOLISM.

Stella Hockenbury of Butler Was Kept in Barn For Whole Day Drinking Alcohol, Says Girl's Parents. One Is Arrested, and Police Are Looking For Other.

Butler, Pa., July 18.—Search is being made for a second youth wanted in connection with the death of Stella Hockenbury, a seventeen-year-old girl, of Slippery Rock, who died of acute alcoholism after being held a prisoner in a barn and forced to drink a quantity of whisky. One youth is under arrest.

According to the statements of the girl made to her parents and Dr. Thomas Duff before she died, she was out automobile riding with Nero Kelster and Carl Snyder last Saturday evening. The young men took the girl into a barn on the farm of Dr. Kelly, about one mile north of Slippery Rock, and forced her to drink a large quantity of whisky.

Miss Hockenbury declared that Kelster and Snyder had kept her in the barn all Saturday night and all day Sunday until Sunday evening, when Snyder took her home in a serious condition. Snyder was arrested, and the police are looking for Kelster.

START TO RAISE \$10,000,000.

Rules Formulated For Fund For Aged Ministers.

Philadelphia, July 18.—The first movement in the step to raise \$10,000,000 for the support of aged and infirm Presbyterian ministers and their dependents was taken when the executive commission of the general assembly met here and formulated rules for the procedure under which the funds will be distributed.

Today for the first time the board of ministerial relief and the board of the ministerial fund will meet. The consolidation is believed to be the wisest plan for raising the fund required for those needing relief.

HAIL DESTROYS CROPS.

Vegetation Ruined in Spots by Worst Storm in Years.

Altoona, Pa., July 18.—Reports from various sections of Blair county indicate that the hail, lightning and rain-storm in this part of the state did property damage reaching many thousands of dollars. The storm was the worst known in years here.

The hail, which fell for more than fifteen minutes, ruined vegetation of all kinds. Lightning struck numerous houses, while hundreds of cellars in the city were flooded.

Street car traffic and wire communication were interrupted for some hours.

ESCAPES FROM ASYLUM.

Rich Pennsylvania Eludes Guards and Scales Wall.

Philadelphia, July 18.—Eluding his attendants by a ruse, Joseph A. Rainford, a wealthy patient at the Pennsylvania Hospital for the Insane, scaled the walls and escaped. He is of athletic build, and it requires three attendants to control him.

While being exercised at Kirkbrides he feigned illness from the heat and disappeared when his attendant left him to secure a glass of water. Search is being made for him, and his relatives, who live in Connecticut, have been notified.

SAYS WIDOW JILTED HIM.

Philadelphia Youth Sues For Breach of Promise.

Philadelphia, July 18.—Adolph Schnitzer, twenty-two years old, brought suit against Mrs. Katherine Jacoby, a widow.

According to Schnitzer's affidavit, he was accepted by the widow and secured a marriage license at city hall last Monday and made other preparations for the nuptials. He appeared at the home of the bride to claim her for his own, when, he says, he found that one William Diehl had supplanted him. He asks \$5,000 damages.

TO HELP MFARLAND.

Miss Florence Bromley Will Try and Free Accused Wife Slayer.

Philadelphia, July 18.—According to her present intentions, if they still hold true in October, Miss Florence Bromley of this city, "the woman in the case," will be on the stand at Newark in the MacFarland murder case in an effort to free the man who is accused of taking the life of his wife. At the first trial Miss Bromley was prevented from appearing as a witness by her family.

Tristate League.

At Atlantic City—Atlantic City, 2; Harrisburg, 1. At York—York, 11; Altoona, 0. At Johnstown—Johnstown, 2; Wilmington, 2. Ten innings, darkness. At Trenton—Trenton, 4; Reading, 3.

OSCAR S. STRAUS.

Chairman of Arbitration Board in Demands of Locomotive Engineers.



Photo by American Press Association.

BASEBALL SCORES.

Results of Games Played in National, American and Other Leagues.

Table of baseball scores for National League, American League, and International League.

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WANTS TO BUILD BIGGEST POSSIBLE WARSHIP NOW.

Tillman Would Name It the Terror and Have It Act as World's Peacemaker.

One record breaking warship, to be named the Terror and outclassing any fighting machine ever built or that can be constructed, capable of maintaining the world's peace, should be developed and added to the American navy. Then the increase of the navy should cease and the enormous sum now yearly appropriated for that purpose devoted to the development of the nation.

This is the new program proposed by Senator Tillman. He desires to have the Terror constructed and to that end will call for such official information as would indicate its size and armament.

Senator Tillman will offer a resolution calling on the committee on naval affairs to report to the senate the maximum size of ships, the maximum armor, maximum gun, maximum speed, maximum draft permitting entry into the world's first class harbors and passage through the Panama canal that a fighting ship can possess in order to make the very best battleship or cruiser that the world has ever seen or will ever see.

The resolution will say that the purpose is "to have this country own the greatest marine engine of war ever constructed or ever to be constructed under known conditions." The resolution will also say, "Let such vessel be named the Terror and become the peacemaker of the world."

TAFT NAMES BULLITT.

Louisville Lawyer Chosen to Succeed Lehmann as Solicitor General.

William Marshall Bullitt of Louisville, who was recently appointed by President Taft to be solicitor general in place of Frederick Lehmann, resigned, is still in the thirties and does not weigh more than 125 pounds. Friends declare he can say more words in a minute than any other man in Kentucky. He can do more different things in a given space of time than any other man who has developed in Kentucky politics in recent years.

Besides having a large corporation practice and being chief counsel for the whisky combine and a number of banks and trust companies, he is the chairman of the Louisville board of public safety, the dominating force of Louisville's city administration and the recognized leader of the Taft forces in Kentucky.

During the last campaign he made practically all the speeches for the Louisville Republicans, organized their wards and precincts for them, dictated their policies and platforms and on election day visited every precinct in the district, and if any election officer was not doing what Mr. Bullitt thought he ought to do he had the officer arrested.

LEGAL BLANKS FOR SALE AT THE

Citizen office: Land Contracts, Leases, Judgment Notes, Warrant Deeds, Bonds, Transcripts, Summons, Attachments, Subpoenas, Labor Claim Deeds, Commitments, Executions, Collector's and Constables' Bonds.

Should the Young Orchard Be Cultivated Now.

A prominent Philadelphia attorney who has a large orchard in southeastern Pennsylvania wrote to State Zoologist Surface saying: "In the process of work, the weeds got ahead of my farmer among my peach trees. They are not bearing a single peach this year. What I want to know is whether this dry weather will prevent or check the formation of fruit buds for next year's crop, or had I better cultivate the trees and then sow a cover crop?"

The reply was as follows:

"Concerning the treatment of your orchard, I must say that what it needs must be in accord with the growth it has made. If there is a satisfactory amount of growth there you need not do much to stimulate further growth this year, and I would rather have the wood become harder before fall than have it grow late into the fall. If the ground is quite dry and the weeds are taking the moisture from the soil, this should be done soon. It would be still better to cut up the soil with a disc harrow and sow crimson clover seed, and then go over it with a smoothing harrow. This is really the best treatment that I can recommend for an orchard at this time of year. You can sow crimson clover seed at any time before the last of July. Sow fifteen to twenty pounds of seed per acre. This will remain as a cover crop during the winter, and you can turn it down in the spring and get nitrogen and organic matter in the cheapest way possible."

PLANS FOR BALLOON RACES.

Event Promises to Be Largest of Kind Ever Held in This Country.

"The American elimination contest of the international balloon race for the James Gordon Bennett cup, to start in Kansas City July 27, will be the largest event of its kind ever held in this country," declares Captain H. E. Honeywell in a letter to George M. Myers, president of the Kansas City Aero club.

A. B. Lambert, president of the St. Louis Aero club, has been appointed official starter. The principal member of the contest committee will be appointed by the Aero Club of America.

San Francisco will enter a balloon in the race this year for the first time. Denver will also have a balloon, and Indianapolis and Nashville are possible entries.

It is possible that Kansas City will have two balloons in the race. St. Louis will enter four balloons.

COCKECTON.

Miss Musette Appley is visiting with friends in Pittsburgh.

Miss Edith Kane is attending Summer School in Oneonta.

Miss Mary Maroney is visiting friends and relatives in this place.

Mrs. James Rowe is visiting her daughter in New York.

Miss Mildred Schultz, of Hancock, is spending a week with her grandmother, Mrs. Chas. Schultz.

Miss Irene Porr returned home from Wilkes-Barre Saturday, accompanied by her little niece, Helen Howell, of that place.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society were entertained at Fromer's camp, at Cockecton Falls, Wednesday.

TYLER HILL.

(Special to The Citizen.) Some of the farmers have finished haying.

C. M. Pethick spent a few days in Scranton.

Rev. R. D. Minch and family spent Monday in Honesdale.

Ice cream social on Mrs. L. D. Tyler's lawn Saturday evening, July 20. Benefit of Sunday school.

Potato beetles are worse than usual this year.

Atlas Portland Cement, the standard American brand. Get our prices. Murray Co., Honesdale, Pa. 5712.

LOOKOUT.

(Special to The Citizen.) Miss Edith Tolley, of Honesdale, was the guest of Mrs. Lewis Hill last week.

Mrs. John Hill recently entertained her mother, Mrs. Bullock.

Mrs. Conklin, who spent the past two weeks at Hubert Lake returned home on Tuesday.

William Flynn has returned home after a few weeks' stay at Cockecton.

Floyd Bruce made a trip to Callicoon on Tuesday.

\$100 REWARD, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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