

## RACE PROBLEM STIRRING ENGLAND

Suddenly Waking Up to Gravity  
Of Situation Caused by Asiatic  
Emigration to Colonies.

VANCOUVER RIOTS ANNOYING.

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For the United States.

London, Jan. 2.—England is experiencing what might well be called an almost startling awakening to the grave problems caused by the emigration of Asiatics to her white colonies. The principal political topic for a week has been the situation in the Transvaal, where several thousand East Indians and Chinese were given the alternative of submitting to what they consider a degrading system of registration or being imprisoned and expelled.

The reports of further racial rioting at Vancouver come at a particularly inopportune time on account of negotiations now under way between Canada and Japan, and they are very annoying to the British government, officials having hoped that Japanese willingness to submit to the registration or be imprisoned and expelled.

It is recognized that the race question is more serious for Great Britain than for America, for the Indians are British subjects and the Japanese are allies. The Transvaal has temporarily refrained from taking measures against those Indians who have refused to register, other than to decline to renew the traders' licenses, all of which expired Dec. 31. It is proposed, however, to execute the law in a few days. Two thousand Indians from all parts of the Transvaal met recently in Johannesburg and voted to refuse to submit to the law.

### BOY MURDERER SENTENCED.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 2.—Nineteen-year-old Roy Howard, convicted of murdering Miss Martha Picaray on the night of Nov. 29, was sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary at Anamosa today.

### FIRST LYNCHING IN 1908.

Takes Place in Broad Daylight in  
Brook Haven, Miss.

Brook Haven, Miss., Jan. 2.—The first lynching of 1908 occurred here today when a mob in broad daylight took a negro away from police officers and shot him. The negro, whose name was Kan, was accused of killing a policeman at Oakville, Miss., on Tuesday night. The negro had been arrested as a suspicious person, but he came to Brook Haven looking for medical treatment for a gunshot wound in the abdomen.

The mob got him away from the police by using a lasso, which was thrown over the negro's neck and the officers hurried him to jail. After the lynching a negro who saw the body said it was that of Coot Aulman, accused of killing a policeman in this vicinity Dec. 10.

### COLORADO BANK CLOSES

Rocky Ford, Colo., Jan. 2.—The State Bank of Rocky Ford, Colo., closed its doors today, following a run. State Bank Examiner Beatty is making an investigation of the bank, which has been regarded as one of the soundest in the Arkansas valley.

The liabilities of the bank exceed \$300,000, and the assets are placed at over \$25,000, mainly loans on high-grade farm lands in the vicinity. The bank is capitalized at \$30,000, and the surplus is \$30,000.

The officers of the State bank are: President, J. E. Godding; vice president, Senator Swink; cashier, E. H. Smith; assistant cashier, D. W. Barclay.

There are two other banks in Rocky Ford, the First National and the Farmers and Mechanics'. Neither of these has been affected by the suspension of the State bank. The officers of the State bank hope to resume business in a short time. One of them made the charge today that certain

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other financial interests in this city  
conspired to secure the closing of the  
State bank by starting rumors last  
week that its solvency was questioned.

### VAUDEVILLE WAR HAS COME TO AN END.

New York, Jan. 2.—The vaudeville war, it is officially announced, was finally concluded here today when George Middleton, president of the Western Vaudeville association and his associates signed an agreement to take over Cella and Oppenheim theaters in Kansas City, Milwaukee and Louisville and the new theater being built at St. Louis. This chain of houses was turned over to Cella and Oppenheim while the war was in progress, and while Klaw & Erlanger and Keith and Proctor subsequently settled their differences these theaters were not included in the peace pact made between the two vaudeville forces. Today's provision for the four play houses, which at one time, it was thought, might form the nucleus of a new vaudeville circuit booked by Will Morris, has, it is said, so strengthened the united booking offices and the Western Vaudeville association as to make another vaudeville circuit unlikely.

### N. Y. STATE ORGANIZATION TO BOOM GOV. HUGHES.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 2.—Plans for a state organization in the interests of the nomination of Gov. Hughes for president were made today at a conference of republican legislators and others at the Kenmore hotel in this city. State Senator Alfred R. Page of New York presided, and there were also present Congressman George S. Waldo of Brooklyn, state superintendent of prisons, C. E. Collins, state water commissioner, John A. Sclacher, republican state commander, H. G. Tennant, Charles H. Young, president

of the New York republican club, and A. B. Humphrey, who introduced in that club the recent resolution endorsing Gov. Hughes for the presidency. Senator John Raines of Ontario, republican leader in the senate; Supt. of Public Works Frederick C. Stevens; Speaker Wadsworth and Senator Saxa of New York, the attitude of each of whom is of special interest in this connection, were none of the speakers. The conference was called somewhat informally, Senator Page said, under the auspices of the committee appointed at a conference in the same interest held just before Christmas at the Manhattan hotel in New York. This committee consists of Senator Page and Messrs. Sclacher, Humphrey, Young and A. B. Smith.

"All those present at the conference," said Senator Page, "declared that there was a strong public sentiment in favor of the nomination of Gov. Hughes, and it was agreed that a provisional organization should be instituted by the selection of a man in each assembly district, further meeting was left subject to the call of myself as chairman."

The organization, he said, will be confined to republicans.

"I believe the state republican convention will instruct its delegates in favor of Gov. Hughes," he concluded. The governor was informed tonight of the action of the conference, but declined to make any comment.

### MAJ. CRABBS RETIRED.

First Officer Retired as Result of  
Horsemanship Requirements.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Maj. Joseph T. Crabbs of the quartermaster's department was placed on the retired list of the army today on account of disabilities incurred in the line of duty. While stationed at the military academy at West Point several years ago, Maj. Crabbs was thrown from his horse and injured his leg. The accident made him a partial cripple, and he was disqualified at the recent riding test at Fort Myer. He has the distinction of being the first officer to be retired as a result of President Roosevelt's horsemanship requirements.

### WISCONSIN DEMOCRATS.

Will Hold Convention Feb. 13 and 14  
To Elect Delegates to Denver.

Milwaukee, Jan. 2.—Wisconsin Democrats will hold a state convention in Milwaukee on Feb. 13 and 14 for the purpose of nominating district delegates and delegates at large to the national convention at Denver. This was decided upon tonight by a sub-committee of the Democratic state central committee.

There will be 22 district delegates and four delegates at large. The district delegates will be nominated at county and city caucuses, and the delegates at large will be nominated by the convention. The delegates thus agreed upon in convention will go before the people at the primary elections and will be elected without opposition.

### SUNDAY AMUSEMENTS.

Illustrated Public Lectures Not Violation of N. Y. City Ordinance.

New York, Jan. 2.—In a decision handed down today, Magistrate Wahl holds that public lectures illustrated by moving pictures and stereopticon views may be given on Sunday without violating the city ordinance and penal code regulating Sunday amusements. The decision is in a test case brought by the police against the Colonial theater, the point at issue being the use of moving picture machines, the lecture itself being admittedly legal.

### THE ELECTIVE SYSTEM.

Pres. Schurman of Cornell Says That  
It Has Gone Too Far.

Pittsburg, Jan. 2.—President John G. Schurman of Cornell university today improved the opportunity furnished by the council in this city called by the American academy of medicine to assail the elective principle in colleges and universities and to place the responsibility for the system on President Charles A. Eliot of Harvard.

"The elective principle of colleges is carried too far," said Dr. Schurman, "and you know as well as I do that the man who is principally responsible for it is President Eliot of Harvard. I say that it is the duty of college faculties not to allow a boy of 17 or 18 years to choose what he should study, notwithstanding the fact that one of the leading educators of the United States takes issue with me. At least this should not be done for the first two years."

### CAPT. A. W. CHASE.

Through Leniency of Gen. Grant He  
Will Lose Only Three Fines.

New York, Jan. 2.—Through the leniency of Maj.-Gen. Frederick D. Grant, commander of the department of the east, Capt. A. W. Chase, coast artillery corps, U. S. A., will suffer the loss of only three fines, in the list of captains, although the court that tried him on charges of disrespect to a superior officer, and conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, sentenced him to the loss of five fines and to be confined to the limits of his post for three months. Gen. Grant in recommending a portion of the sentence acted on a recommendation for clemency on the ground of illness, signed by 11 of the 12 members of the court. The charge was based on an allegation that Capt. Chase used disrespectful language to his commanding officer, Col. Clarence Deems, at Fort Howard, Md., where he was stationed. Capt. Chase's defense was that he was ill at the time and had no intention of being disrespectful. He was found guilty on both charges. In review of the case, Gen. Grant says that the court exacted a sentence "that should demonstrate not only to this officer, but to the service, that military subordination will be maintained, and that those who transgress, even when they do so under the safeguard of statements of this, and that, have given me the impression, of similar reservation, do so at their peril."

### LITTLE GIRL DIES WITH CHRISTMAS DOLL IN ARMS

New York, Jan. 3.—Four-year-old Nanina Leone is dead, all for the love of her Christmas doll. Nanina was the daughter of a well-to-do contractor who lives in the suburbs. On Christmas she received a beautiful wax doll, which at once became the joy of her baby heart. Yesterday Nanina accompanied her mother around the corner and there told the grocer's wife all about the doll. The woman expressed a desire to see it and the child insisted on being allowed to run home and get it. She would only be gone a moment, she explained. Mrs. Leone remained to finish her purchases, but as the minutes passed and the little girl did not return she became anxious and started back to the house. There was a crowd in front of the building, smoke was coming out of the windows and a fire engine was at the corner. Mrs. Leone rushed to her apartment to find her daughter. Nanina was not to be seen. One of the firemen looked in under the bed and then they led the woman away. There lay the child, dead, her doll in her arms. The doll had been placed under the bed and the room was dark. Nanina probably lit a match to find the doll and set fire to her clothing. The doctor in the ambulance which responded to a call, said the little girl had inhaled the flames and died almost instantly.

### SHOT BY SON-IN-LAW.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 2.—Daniel Woodward, pioneer, and one of the best-known ranchers on Lulu Island, was shot and narrowly escaped murder at the hands of his son-in-law, W. E. Street, last night. Woodward's daughter, Lettie, 18, married to Street, who is alleged to have fired Woodward that the entire family would be obliterated if Woodward caused his daughter to start divorce proceedings. The later move was taken, and last night Street appeared at Woodward's house with a loaded revolver in hand. Street fired point-blank, the bullet passing through Woodward's upraised arm, but spent itself against his suspender buckle. Woodward's sons rushed to the aid of their father and bound Street hand and foot with ropes.

### NEW YORK BIRTH RATE.

Statistics Give it a Much Higher One  
Than London.

New York, Dec. 3.—The stark made 125,126 visits in New York city during 1907, according to statistics prepared by the commissioner of health. This is an increase of 13,354 over the previous year, when 111,772 births were reported. The new figures give New York a higher birth rate than London and a lead of more than 40 per cent over Paris. During the year there were 73,205 deaths, giving a death rate of 18.48 per thousand. In 1906 there were 76,203 deaths. There was material decrease in the death rate of children under 5 years of age, and an increase of 1,650 in the number that died from heart disease, the total being 7,726. During 1907 there were 5,097 marriages as compared with 48,355 in 1906.

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### THAW'S TRIAL.

Will Begin Monday and Defense Will  
Be Insanity.

New York, Jan. 2.—Counsel for Harry K. Thaw consulted today, and it was reported that the only defense to be introduced would be insanity at the time that Stanford White was killed. It will be contended, however, that Thaw is now sane. Those in conference were Martin W. Littleton, Daniel O'Reilly and A. Russell Peabody. The defense, it is said, will offer much new testimony. There will be a score of eye-witnesses to the shooting of White which have not before, but will testify that in their opinion Thaw was crazed on the night of the murder.

Mr. Littleton has a list of 300 talesmen who have been summoned to appear Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in the criminal branch of the supreme court, and detectives are investigating the records of each. Mr. O'Reilly and Mr. Peabody called at the Tombs today and consulted with their client. Dist. Atty. Jerome, who will again be the chief prosecutor, with Asst. Atty. Garvan as his aid, said tonight that the trial would surely begin before Justice Dowling Monday morning, as set some time ago.

### FATAL WRECK.

Two Men Killed, Three Injured in  
One at Elko.

Elko, Nev., Jan. 2.—A fatal wreck occurred in the west end of the Elko railroad yards at 11 a. m. today. Two men were killed, three injured and 11 cars smashed to splinters and piled up in terrific confusion. The local freight train, westbound, was standing on a sidetrack waiting for freight No. 1728. Engineer Klein left his engine for a moment, when it started up. The fireman was on top of the tender, passing coal to the front end, and thinking the engineer was in the cab, paid no attention to the fact that the engine had started. Train No. 1728 was pulling in at the rate of 45 miles an hour and the engine and three cars had passed the switch, when the runaway engine struck the rear end of the fifth car and ploughed through it and into the four cars following.

Five trains were in the sixth and seventh cars of the eastbound train. Two of these were so badly mangled that they could hardly be recognized as human beings. Another was injured about the head and body, another had his hip broken and a fifth escaped uninjured. One of the men killed was G. T. Ballard of Moore, Mont. The name of the other has not been learned. The Garlin engine is clearing away the debris. Traffic will be tied up for about eight hours. None of the trainmen were injured.

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2. The Shuttle, Burnett ..... \$1.50  
3. The Fruit of the Tree, Wharton ..... \$1.50  
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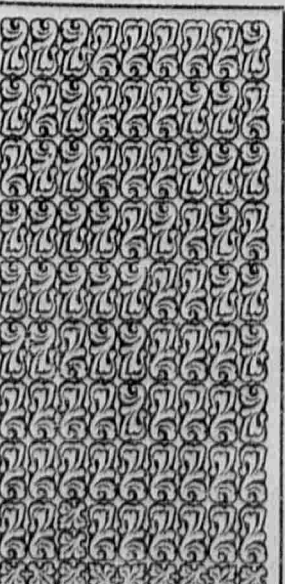
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