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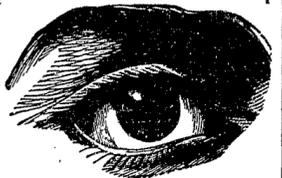
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## WEEK'S NEWS STORIES RETOLD

Events That Made a Stir Condensed 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

The nomination of Francis Burton Harrison to be Governor-General of the Philippines was confirmed.

President Wilson nominated Francis Burton Harrison, Representative from New York, to be Governor General of the Philippines.

President Wilson's programme for free sugar in 1916 carried the day in the Senate, when Democrats rallied to the support of the Tariff bill and defeated all amendments to the sugar schedule.

The House majority caucus, aided by Secretary Bryan, defeated the foes of the Administration's currency bill.

#### Personal

Lord Strathcona, Canadian Highway Commissioner, has signified his intention of resigning. He will probably be succeeded by the Hon. Clifford Sifton.

Mrs. Miller French of Tarrytown, N. Y., met her father, 84 years old, a civil war veteran whom she had given up for dead, for the first time in 50 years.

James G. Shepherd, retired millionaire of Scranton, Pa., has sued for divorce in Reno, Nev., on the ground that his wife objected to his going to church.

Nicholas Murray Butler, President of Columbia, is organizing, under the Carnegie fund, a commission to investigate the atrocities of the Balkan wars.

#### Sporting

Oscar Egg at Paris broke the world's one hour bicycle record, unpaced, by covering 43 kilometres 280 metres (26.92 miles).

Norman Elberfeld, known as the "Tobacco Kid," who for many years held down the far corner for the Yankees, will manage the Chattanooga team of the Southern League in 1914.

Lord Northcliffe gave \$10,000 to the British Olympic Games Committee, and many others, including several American firms in business in London, have contributed.

Reese, the bone setter, after attending to Ed Walsh's arm, ordered him to rest for the remainder of the season and declared that he would be as good as ever next year. A misplaced tendon was discovered in the pitcher's arm.

#### General

Secretary Bryan will stump in Maine for two days in the early part of September.

Alleging violation of the live stock transportation law, 16 suits for \$500 damages each have been filed in Chicago against six railroads.

Representative Murray, of Massachusetts, urged a favorable report on his resolution calling for a joint investigation of the anthracite industry.

Mayor Gaynor will head a third ticket in the New York city election, Edward E. McCall having agreed to accept the Tammany nomination for Mayor.

The Public Service Commission of Maryland, authorized the Pennsylvania Railroad to purchase and take control of the Central Railroad of Maryland.

Paquale Sirico and James Mahon were held in \$10,000 bail each by United States Commissioner Hitchcock at New York, on a charge of white slavery.

Robert Edwin Gray, 71 years old, member of the old First City Troop of Philadelphia, which acted as a body guard when Lincoln's body lay in the State Independence Hall, is dead in that city.

The Assembly Judiciary Committee decided to push the investigation meant to show Governor Sulzer was the author of the charge that four Republican Assemblymen had voted "through improper influences" to impeach him.

Oscar Hammerstein, in defending the suit to keep him from re-entering the grand opera field in New York, charges violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust law by an alleged monopoly at the head of which is the Metropolitan Opera Company.

Vernon L. Whitney, Governor of Iowa, was slightly wounded when attacked

## TAMMANY HOARY AND BESOTTED

### IN CRIME, BRIBERY AND FILTH

Some otherwise good people still insist that Tammany is unfairly charged with bad character. They say: "You can't prove anything against Tammany. You simply don't know anything about it."

Let us see. Of course, the entire Tammany Society never votes on any one proposition, so that if murder is committed under Tammany auspices, one cannot say that all of Tammany did it, but, by the same token that the Black Hand, the Mafia, or the Camorra—the three Italian blackmail and murder societies—are believed to be enemies of the public welfare by certain tokens, so by similar tokens, Tammany is an enemy of the public welfare and should be exterminated.

Samuel J. Tilden, one of the most illustrious Democrats, fought and whipped Tammany in his day along with William M. Tweed who died in jail, where Richard Croker ought to die and where Charles E. Murphy, present Tammany leader, should die.

The Lexow and other investigations have shown New York City reeking with graft and licensed crime. Common testimony from New Yorkers, themselves, is that judgeships there are sold for cash. The Becker trial revealed a whole police system trying to thwart the trial and procuring murder for cash. In fact, every election in New York City is the story of a struggle of the decent classes to throw Tammany off from their necks, but Tammany usually succeeds because of her hold on the vicious and degraded by the cruel exploitations and briberies of the millionaires who run Tammany for their private profit.

Very frequently the better class of Democrats in this State and the country over denounce Tammany unsparingly. At the Democrat national conventions it is an open secret that the support of Tammany is such a disgrace that it hurts that candidate with the rest of the country. Do you remember how Bryan flayed Tammany at Baltimore and beat Champ Clark who had Tammany support?

Didn't Dick Croker swear brazenly on the stand: "Of course I am in politics for my pocket all the time?" and hasn't the wrath of this state made him feel safer to live in Ireland ever since?

Is not Tammany a universal synonym for the foulest corruption? Do not public men of every party and station in life, men who stand for exalted character, speak of Tammany in severest condemnation? When was Tammany ever mentioned by anybody for ever doing one single good thing? Are not even her so-called charity dinners but the foulest bribes to keep the ignorant and the vicious still in tribute to her?

The Italian Government still has its Mafia, its Black Hand and its Camorra to struggle with, but the records of New York City's courts show abundantly that with burglars, white slavers, murderers practically impossible to convict in New York City's courts because they have the pull, that we, too, have our Tammany selling privileges to commit burglary, white slavery and even murder for a price.

Why, in last week's Outlook magazine, there was an authentic account of actual fact of an honest Italian who, with his family, has narrowly escaped death from bombs by the Black Hand to whom he would not pay money, and his business has been ruined. YET THE CRIMINALS CANNOT BE PUNISHED IN NEW YORK CITY'S COURTS BECAUSE THE BLACK HAND HAS SUCH A PULL WITH TAMMANY.

Do you still defend Tammany?

ed by two Moros at a camp on the island. He killed both assailants.

Harry K. Thaw won a week's delay in his fight against deportation or extradition from Canada when Justice Goblemsky at Sherbrooke postponed hearing argument on the writ of habeas corpus.

John Noonan, sixty-two, a farmer employed for twenty-six years by Thomas Henry Grant, of Middletown Township, near Red Bank, N. J., was gored and trampled to death by a bull on the farm.

Five swept four blocks in Jersey City, destroying eight factories and seventeen dwellings.

The Administration decided to go back to the policy of non-interference in Mexico.

President Wilson went "scouting" with some Boy Scouts in the White House grounds.

Five sticks of dynamite were found outside of Mayor Gaynor's office in the New York City Hall.

The striking miners at the Coal Creek, Va., mining district have agreed to accept a wage increase of 11 per cent.

Raymond B. Smith, the missing Treasurer of the Roseville (N. J.) Trust Company, was found to be

short \$225,000.

Harry K. Thaw, who escaped from Matteawan Insane Asylum was arrested at St. Hermenegilde-Garforde, Quebec, Canada.

Wearing overalls, Governor Major, of Missouri and Governor Hodges, of Kansas led an army of 350,000 good-roads workers in Missouri.

Senator Jones, of Washington State, introduced a bill setting aside a space near the Capitol for erecting statues and memorials to women.

George W. Griggs, missing millionaire bachelor and grain dealer, was found in the Mississippi near St. Paul. The police say suicide.

Robert C. Ogden's will was filed. His two daughters and his brother get the bulk of the estate, which totals from \$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000.

The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Company's report shows that damage to corn in that line's territory in Nebraska is estimated at 75 per cent.

Edward Amuth, of New York, and Miss A. M. Grubb, a trained nurse, were killed when their carriage was struck by a railroad train near Saratoga Lake, N. Y.

Preston C. McGoodwin, of Oklahoma, nominated as Minister to Venezuela, will be allowed to answer

charges before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Harry Ellonski failed by 300 yards in his second attempt to swim from the Battery, New York, to Sandy Hook, N. J., a distance of 21½ miles, after swimming continually for 15 hours and 15 minutes.

Assemblyman Arthur A. Quinn, of Perth Amboy, was chosen president of the New Jersey Federation of Labor in annual convention at Trenton. The convention adjourned to meet in Newark next year.

Katherine Packard, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Packard, was drowned in Seneca Lake, N. Y., while bathing. She sank without being seen by her younger sister and a nurse nearby on shore.

The Senate committee rejected the President's Currency bill.

A sheriff's jury assessed damages of \$100 against Sigmund Greenberg, a house owner, because the disposition of a little daughter of one of his tenants was spoiled when the janitress accidentally threw an ash can on her.

Governor Sulzer will be formally charged, before the Court of Impeachment, with usurpation of office. It is also planned to charge him with having tried to "threaten and cajole" Assemblymen against voting for his impeachment.

The bodies of three sons of Thomas Fleming, who have been missing from Ticonderoga, N. Y., were found in Trout Brook, near that city. Four years ago three La Rose brothers were drowned in the same place.

Allie Burris, 17 years old, was drowned when she attempted to save her father trying to rescue a sixteen year old boy who had fallen into the water at Stockdale, Tex. The boy was drowned, but the father was rescued.

Mayor Gaynor, of New York, said Magistrate Deuel disgraces the Magistrate's bench and ought to be removed. He said that because Mr. Deuel had asserted that restaurant guests could drink after 1 A. M. liquor ordered before that hour.

#### Foreign

The King and Queen of Roumania were shot at while automobiling near Sinala.

King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Elena of Italy will visit Montenegro in September.

President Poincare, of France, celebrated his 53d birthday at his country home at Sampigny.

The first woman judge to be appointed in Norway is Ruth Sorensen, 36 years old, of Christiania.

Dr. Piacenza, the Italian Alpinist, scaled the summit of Mount Numzum, a 20,000 foot Himalayan peak, in India.

Three men were killed and five others seriously injured when a naval gun exploded while being tested at Pola, Hungary.

The International Harvester Co.'s plant at Hamilton, Ont., will be reopened. About 1,500 men are employed in the plant.

Roger Thompson, who drove the car in which Harry Thaw escaped from Matteawan, threatened to confess unless Thaw's lawyers got him out of Sherbrooke jail.

Miss Consuelo Rodriguez, saddened by many deaths in the Mexican revolution, leaped from the liner Mexico among sharks in the Gulf of Mexico.

Judge Charlton, father of Porter Charlton, has engaged Onorevole Camera, former Italian Minister of Finance, as chief counsel for his son, charged with killing his wife at Lake Como in 1910.

William Marconi declared that a 50-year concession had been granted by the Brazilian government allowing the company to establish a wireless service between that country and the United States.

#### When the British Retreated.

One of the speakers before the banquet of the Massachusetts society of the Sons of the American Revolution told of an experiment which he made several years ago. He first consulted historical records and ascertained the exact time of day that the British left for Lexington. He then started to go over the same ground. From a fast walk he soon found it necessary to break into a run and then a sprint. Then he found himself getting so far behind time that he had to take a trolley car. He left Lexington at the time of day that the British left, and, although they are said to have reached Charlestown at 7 o'clock in the evening, he did not get there until after 7:30, thus proving that the British beat the time of the modern trolley cars.—Boston Traveler.

#### Well Classified.

"How did you list the money that fortune teller got from you?" "I put it under the head of prophet and lost."—Baltimore American.

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