

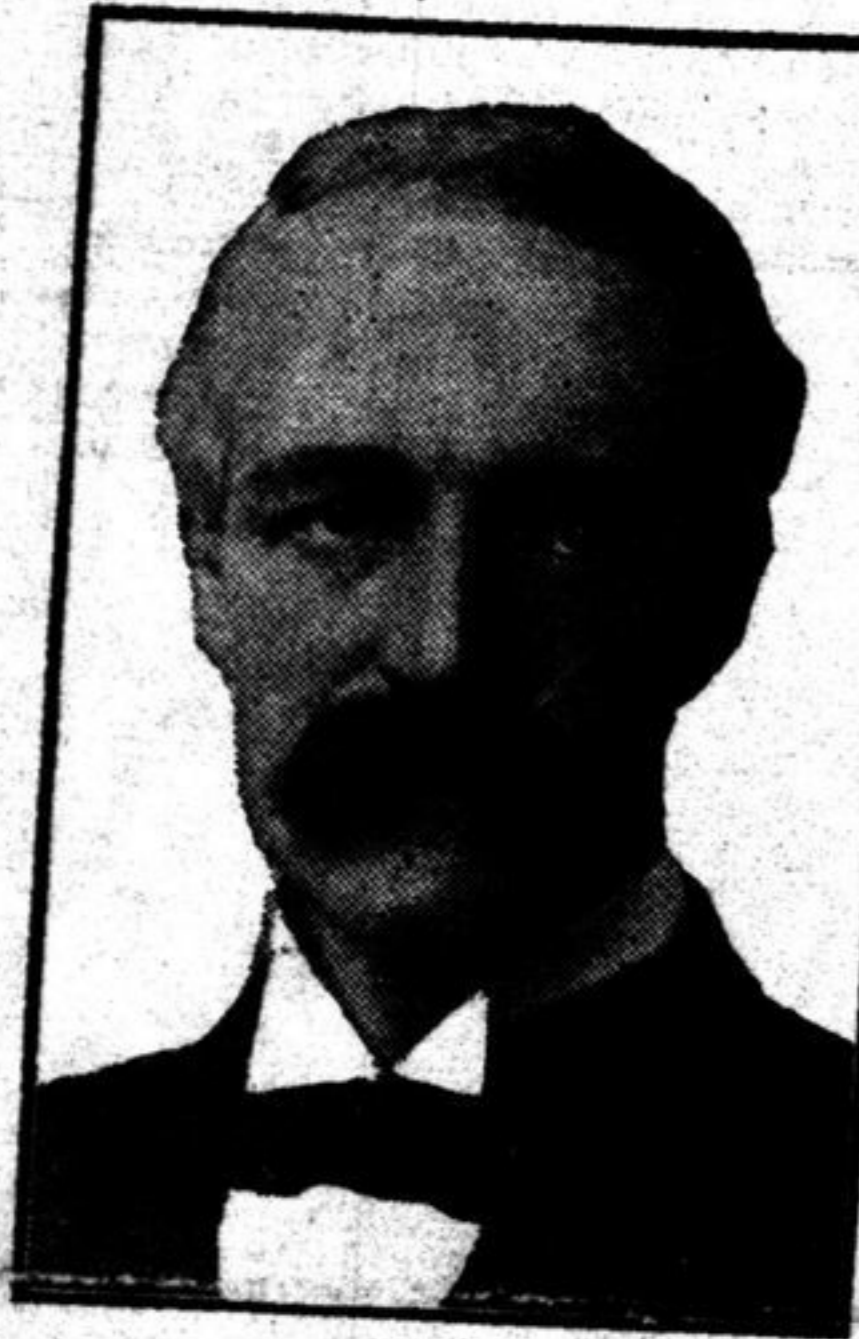
**ROOSEVELT SUMMONS
PINCHOT TO EUROPE**

Former Forester Slips Away and News Causes Sensation in Washington.

Washington, Mar. 23.—Theodore Roosevelt has cabled Gifford Pinchot to meet him in Europe, and the fact that Mr. Pinchot sailed last Friday on a Hamburg-American liner, ostensibly for Copenhagen, Denmark, has set all Washington agog. This is the first move made by the former president with respect to things political in the United States since his return to civilization from the African wilderness. Incidentally no one is more concerned over the news than are the close friends of the Taft administration.

According to the understanding of the situation here, Mr. Roosevelt upon his arrival in Khartoum received such a mass of conflicting mail and so many contrary reports from American tourists with whom he talked that he decided the best way to get at the situation would be to talk it over with a tried and true friend.

Consequently Mr. Pinchot received a cablegram from the former president, it is asserted on excellent authority, and, having finished his testimony before the Ballinger-Pinchot investigation committee, he slipped away to Europe last Friday, leaving word that to rest after the strain he had undergone he was about to visit his sister, Lady Alan Johnston, wife of the British ambassador to Denmark.



Gifford Pinchot.

It is understood here that Mr. Pinchot will join Mr. Roosevelt in southern Europe, probably at Naples.

It has been strongly suspected for the last two months that extraordinary arrangements were being made by friends of the president, as well as by his Republican enemies, to get the ear of Mr. Roosevelt first when he reached civilization.

PEACE PLANS ARE BLOCKED
Company and Car Men Obdurate and a State-Wide Strike Is Urged.

Philadelphia, Mar. 23.—All negotiations are off and the fight will go on. This was the announcement made by the labor leaders conducting the street car and general sympathetic strike. All peace plans offered by both sides to the controversy have failed of acceptance.

The great stumbling block is the exclusive recognition of committees of trolley men affiliated with the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway employees. The Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company insists that it will not recognize any one union exclusively, but will treat all labor organizations alike. If this dispute could be adjusted the demands as wages and hours could be satisfied without much trouble.

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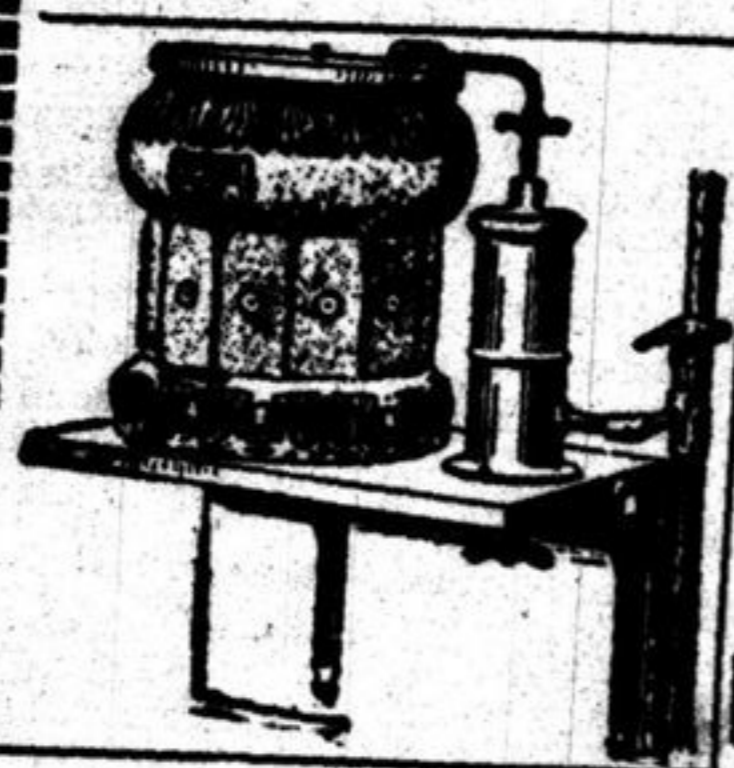
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STATE NEWS

Chicago.—Harold Hammond, 11 years old, 1709 North Talman avenue, a newsboy, who had already suffered the loss of his right leg in a street car accident, lost his left when he was crushed beneath the wheels of a North avenue car at North Campbell avenue. The lad was clinging papers and by the aid of his crutch attempted to "fly" the car while it was in motion. He was knocked down and his leg fell across the rail. It was crushed so badly that surgeons at the Alexian Brothers hospital found amputation necessary. According to the police, the boy was hurt in almost the same manner when he lost his right leg.

Chicago.—Summary action was taken by Judge K. M. Landis in sentencing violators of the federal laws regulating the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine. The court found the punishment of Samuel Driesbach at a fine of \$15,000 and six years' imprisonment in the United States penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. To Daniel Bortz, who also pleaded guilty, the court meted out an 18-months term in the house of correction in this city. William Broadwell must meet like punishment with Driesbach. Bortz was immediately taken to the prison and preparations were made to take Driesbach and Broadwell.

Chicago.—The La Salle street tunnel strike, which began February 15 and tied up the \$1,500,000 job, was settled and all of the laborers returned to work. The main point at issue was more a question of jurisdiction than wages. The strike was precipitated by the Sewer & Tunnel workers and all the other workmen walked out in sympathy. Negotiations have been in progress between the contractors, M. H. McGovern & Co., and the men for some time and final adjustment was reached.

Chicago.—Three criminals well known to the police, were found guilty in Judge Barnes' courtroom of robbery with a revolver, of being habitual criminals and of common robbery, and were sentenced to life imprisonment. The men are: Peter O'Toole, 34 years old; Edward Jensen, 27 years old; Arthur Cassidy, 26 years old. The men were tried together before a jury, which returned three separate verdicts against each defendant.

Chicago.—Central station detectives and the police of the Irving Park district are assisting relatives in a search for Hazel Ruth Grimm, 17 years old, who disappeared from her home, 8851 North Harding avenue. Edward Grimm, her stepfather, reported the disappearance to the police. According to his statement, he had reprimanded her for absenting herself the previous night, and it is believed this prompted her to run away.

Chicago.—Gov. Deneen has dispatched to Springfield his veto of the bill for mining institutes, on an opinion from Attorney General Stead that the subject matter did not come within the call for the special session. The bill provided for the holding of institutes for the instruction of workers in coal mines and it carried an appropriation of \$25,000 to the University of Illinois to establish and maintain the institutes.

Chicago.—Mrs. Mary Thompson, 89 years old, fell against a stove in her home at 4138 North Hermitage avenue and was burned to death. She was alone at the time, but a rocking chair stood close to the stove and the police and firemen think she probably was dozing when she toppled over against the stove igniting her clothing. Neighbors saw the smoke and turned in an alarm.

Peoria.—Because Frank Hall, justice of the peace, ate 12 little fish, confiscated by state fish warden and brought into court as evidence, he will be subpoenaed as a witness in the trial of a case in the county court. He took the dozen fish home and ate them after they had been offered as evidence that two vendors were selling fish under the size fixed by law for legal sales.

Chicago.—Frank Mitch, an Italian, was attacked by several men at Polk and Desplaines streets and was stabbed in the abdomen. His assailants, the police believe, are connected with a "black hand" gang. He was taken to the county hospital, but did not give the names of his assailants or any reason for the attack. Six men have been arrested as suspects.

Chicago.—Eight families living in a four-story brick building at 818 West Madison street were routed out by the smoke from a stubborn fire in the restaurant of Gustave Cochmans on the first floor. The fire was checked before it reached their flats, with a loss of \$800. The fire is thought to have started from an overheated stove. Sterling.—Mrs. Annie Graham, in a suit for divorce, calls her husband an habitual drunkard. He is the owner of an institute for the cure of drunkenness.

Sterling.—Everett Balk was killed by falling under cars near his home in Fulton. He was 13 years old.

Miss Helen Coale has been visiting her mother, Miss Elizabeth McCrory, during the past week.

Mrs. Garrett of Burlington, Miss Nellie Key of Kewanee, and Mrs. W. H. Miller and family are visiting in Highland Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessup have moved into their attractive bungalow on Highland Park.

The George Bryant family has rented for the summer at Highland Park.

The William H. Miller family has been in the city for the summer season to visit their friends.

Miss Marjory Small will have a luncheon on Saturday at Highland Park.

Mrs. Lucian Wallingford has been hostess to six ladies at luncheon at the Woman's Club on Monday. The affair was given in honor of Miss Bessie Langworth.

Mrs. Brower who has been in the city for several months has returned to her home in Park.

We are glad to note that Mrs. Baker, who has been in the city for some time, is now proving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gertrude Carlyle have returned to Florida where they will spend the day from Florida where they will spend the day for the past three weeks.

Mrs. Morse and Mr. Morse have had a large reception on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Thilman. Mrs. J. is a bride, poured, were very elaborate, spring blossoms. Two tables were issued.

Over \$100.00 was raised for the Bluff Orphanage at Lake Michigan at the Lutheran church, Tuesday evening, served by the churches.

On Sunday evening, Mrs. who was returning from the city, was stantly killed.

The tickets are ready for sale at Ravincent of the tickets sold. The concert of the Park will be a benefit.

William and Hamilton are returning from their Easter vacation.

The proposed west side cemetery has been attracted by laid out in Samuel Le.

Don't forget the "Pillars of the Ravinia Theatre, April 1st on sale at Schumacher's.

The wedding of Miss Helen, daughter of Mr. Buckingham of the Mrs. Sanders Elliott of Chicago for June 4th at Trinity. The ceremony will be at "Ledge" the husband's uncle and aunt R. B. Gregory.