FINAL TAPS FOR JOHN PAUL JONES

His Body Now Reposes in Crypt at Naval Academy.

CEREMONIES WERE SIMPLE

DISTINGUISHED MEN PRESENT AT LAST RITES.

Secretary Meyer and Ambassador Jusserand, of France, Come Over From Washington, and Governor Goldsborough Joins Them in Paying Tribute to the Father of the American Navy — Several Thousand Persons See Remains Taken From Bancroft Hall to the Chapel.

Special from a Staff Correspondent.

Annapolis, Md., January 26.—Final taps were sounded over the body of John Paul Jones, father of the American Navy and untitled knight of the blue waters, this afternoon, when his body was taken from Bancroft Hall, on the Naval Academy grounds, to the crypt beneath the academy chapel. Within the artificial cavern of marble the metal casket containing the body is to remain, unless the government's plans go amiss, forever.

It has been 120 years since John Paul Jones, the uncrowned hero, died in Paris, and representatives of France, which first claimed his burying ground, joined with high naval officials of the United States in the ceremony of transferring the body from Bancroft Hall, where it was placed some time after its arrival in this country in 1905, to the crypt. Several thousand men, women and children from Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis were also present at the solemn ceremonies.

And at last, in the words of the poet, this hero's admirers can say:

"Rest on, embalmed and sainted dead;
Dear as the blood ye gave;
No impious footsteps here shall tread
The herbage of your grave;
Nor shall your glory be forgot
While fame her record keeps,
Or honor points the hallowed spot
Where valor proudly sleeps."

SIMPLE CEREMONY.

Because elaborate memorial services were held at Annapolis when the body of John Paul Jonees was deposited in Bancroft Hall, and because this was the Sabbath, the exercises were exceedingly simple.

It had been planned to have the body borne to the crypt promptly at 10 o'clock, but owing to the late arrival of Secretary of the Navy Meyer and his party from Washington the exercises were delayed.

At 11 o'clock two special cars from Washington arrived at Sampson Row gate, carrying the following: Secretary Meyer and Mrs. Meyer, Ambassador Jusserand and Madame Jusserand, Hon. and Mrs. L. P. Padgett, Mrs. Grant, George E. Foss, Mr. and Mrs. George Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Chandler, Miss Chandler, Charles W. Stewart, Sylvian Salieres, A. W. Kopp, Mrs. Foster, Miss Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dadmun, Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. L. C. Palmer, Whitney Warren, Gen. Thomas J. Shryock, the latter of Baltimore; Chaplain and Mrs. U. G. B. Pierce. This party was joined by Governor Goldsborough.

Besides there were two other parties to arrive soon after. The first was Col. Thompson and the following: Miss Hoke Smith, Miss Sally Smith, Mr. Burr, Rear Admiral Sebree, Rear Admiral Hemphill, Rear Admiral Kimball, Rear Admiral Barker, Mrs. Hobson and child, Mrs. Loud, the Misses Loud, Congressman and Mrs. Buchanan and three children, Congressman Witherspoon, Mrs. F. G. Kane, Miss Burrill Kane.

The second party was composed of eRar Admiral G. W. Baird and the following, representing the Sons of the American Revolution: Col. W. B. Thompson, Prof. W. A. DeCaindey, Col. M. M. Parker, Rear Admiral Theo. Jewell, Prof Charles E. Monroe, C. C. Magruder, Col. C. H. Lyman, A. Howard Clark, John Paul Earnest and Col. G. F. Griffin.

TAKEN TO THE CRYPT.

Directly inside the Sampson Row gate the guests were met by Superintendent Gibbons and the officers stationed at the Naval Academy. All then went to the home of Superintendent Gibbons, where greetings were exchanged. This over all proceeded to the front of the chapel to witness the carrying of the body to the crypt. Secretary Meyer, Governor Goldsborough and Ambassador Jusserand occupied prominent points of observation.

In the meantime the 750 midshipmen had formed at Bancroft Hall in two battalions, under the command of Lieutenant Commander L. M. Nulton. The casket containing the body of John Paul Jones had been brought from the hall and placed on the catafalque. A line was formed, the Naval Academy Band at the head, and while the latter played Chopin's funeral march the body was wheeled by a detachment of "bluejackets" toward the chapel.

In front of the chapel the midshipmen were brought to attention and as they stood with arms presented the catafalque was drawn up to the door leading down to the crypt. Outside the guard lines established by the midshipmen hundreds of men stood with bared heads. The command was given to remove the casket and a dozen stalwart bluejackets carried it into the crypt as a bugler sounded taps. Midshipmen, Army officers and civilians stood with bared and bowed heads until the casket bearers had returned to their line.

SERVICE IN CHAPEL.

This over the officers, guests and midshipmen entered the chapel, where a brief service was held. Chaplain Scott, of the Naval Academy, conducted the services prior to introducing Chaplain U. G. B. Pierce, of the United States Senate, who preached a sermon.

fought after the war closed, and our Chaplain Pierce took for his text Exodus, i. 15: "Take thy shoes from off thy feet because the place whereon thou standest is holy ground." The sermon was brief.

"How appropriate is this text today," said the chaplain, "when we have assembled just after placing the body of our naval hero in its last resting place. We should consecrate ourselves to the cause which he aspoused. Eternal vigilance is a large part of liberty, and John Paul Jones was always vigilant. But this is not the occasion, although it might be the proper place, to tell of his good works. John Paul Jones, like George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, knew the place whereon they stood, and knew it was holy ground. His sense of duty caused him to do the noble things that he did. He followed the path of duty. We should consecrate ourselves to his sense of duty."

The midshipmen's choir also sang at the service, and after it has concluded all the academy students formed in line and returned to Bancroft Hall.

HIS LAST RESTING-PLACE.

The sarcophagus is directly beneath the chapel's dome and is of marble and bronze. The body is carried by four bronze dolphins, resting on the marble base. The complete sarcophagus stands about seven feet high. The head of the body lies toward the South. A Union Jack was thrown over the casket. On top of the casket, as it was conveyed to the crypt, was the sword John Paul Jones used when in active service. This was later removed to its case in Bancroft Hall.

Following the chapel services the invited guests were escorted to Superintendent Gibbons' home and entertained at dinner. Secretary Meyer and his party returned to Washington this evening.

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JUDGE JOHN K. SHIELDS

NEW UNITED STATES SENATOR-ELECT FROM TENNESSEE.

THE PENINSULA HOSPITAL

Officers, Directors and Staff Selected at Salisbury.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Salisbury, Md., January 26.—The annual meeting for the election of directors and the different boards for the management of the Peninsula General Hospital was held today. Miss Shiel gave a very gratifying report and was re-elected superintendent. The board of directors elected was as follows: William H. Jackson, Walter B. Miller, M. V. Brewington, William E. Sheppard, William P. Jackson, Samuel H. Carey, H. L. D. Stanford, Dr. George W. Todd, Calvin D. Taylor, R. V. Massey. Officers—William P. Jackson, president; H. L. D. Stanford, vice president; W. B. Miller, treasurer; M. V. Brewington, secretary; local medical staff, Dr. J. McF. Dick, Dr. Harry C. Tull, Dr. C. Brotemarkle, Dr. George W. Todd, Dr. D. B. Potter, Dr. Harry Wailes, Dr. A. B. Buris, Dr. S. N. Pilchard, Dr. John Elderdice and Miss Mary Frances Shiel, R. N.

Visiting medical staff: Dr. Joseph W. Hearn, general surgeon; Dr. Howard Kelly, consultant; Dr. W. P. Hearn, assistant general surgeon; Dr. F. W. Janney, eye, ear and throat specialist.

Board of lady managers: Mrs. William M. Cooper, Mrs. Samuel R. Douglass, Miss Emma W. Powell, Miss Katherine S. Todd, Mrs. E. Stanley Toadvin, Mrs. William H. Jackson, Miss Alice Humphreys, Mrs. Samuel A. Graham, Miss Irma Graham, Miss Laura Brenizer, Miss Lettia Houston, Mrs. William P. Jackson, Mrs. F. P. Adkins, Miss Marie Ellegood, Mrs. Graham Gunby, Mrs. Louis F. Morris, Miss Nellie Fish and Mrs. L. E. Williams.

County auxiliary board: Mrs. A. S. Venerables, Mrs. A. L. Jones, Mrs. K. V. White, Mrs. Levin T. Cooper, Mrs. James R. Livingstone, Mrs. Dr. Brayshaw, Mrs. Frank Howard, Mrs. S. P. Parsons, Mrs. Mollie Parker, Mrs. Thomas H. White, Mrs. W. F. Darby, Mrs. M. E. Godfrey, Mrs. J. G. Sheppard, Mrs. W. W. Davis, Mrs. J. F. Jester, Mrs. Fannie Gillis, Miss Alice Pollitt, Miss Carrie Turner, Miss May Hamblin and Mrs. H. P. Messick.

BLAMES AMUSEMENT PLACES

President of Frederick Y. M. C. A. Tells of Poor Showing.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Frederick, Md., January 26.—Places of amusement were blamed for the poor showing made by the Frederick Y. M. C. A. during the year by President C. E. Cline, who read his annual report at the sixth anniversary meeting of the ascociation held here today. The address was by William H. Morriss, general secretary of the Baltimore Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Cline's report shows that the Frederick Y. M. C. A. was operated during the year at a loss of nearly $4,000. The expenses for the year were $8,160.92. Of this amount $3,744.14 was for salaries and $2,000 for what is classed as unusual expenses. The dormitories during the year brought in $2,250.20 and the membership about $2,000. The bowling alleys and swimming pool receipts were $550.

The Frederick Y. M. C. A. Building was erected and equipped at a cost of about $60,000, a large portion of which was contributed by Joseph D. Baker, of this city.

Ellicott City High School.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Ellicott City, Md., January 26.—The class of 1914 of the Ellicott City High School have elected the following officers: President, William Hennerty, of Pine Orchard; first vice president, Miss Elizabeth Mitchell, of Ilchester; second vice president, Miss Virginia Meade, of Ellicott City; prophetess, Miss Reba Harman, of Elkridge; historian, Alexander Couthorn, of Hoods Mill, and treasurer, Lee Johnson, of Ellicott City.

Accused Letter-writer Ill.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Hagerstown, Md., January 26.—Miss Anna Zimmerman, of Smithsburg, accused of writing and mailing lewd and scurrilous letters to residents of that town, and who is now out on $300 bail to answer to the charge, is lying critically ill at her home. She has been in a semiconscious state sincere her release and during brief moments of consciousness she cries out that she is innocent.

ONE KILLED IN REAR-END CRASH

FREIGHTS COLLIDE ON WESTERN MARYLAND.

C. L. Durst, Hagerstown, a Flagman, Instantly Killed — E. A. Shewbridge, Brakeman, Is Seriously Injured — Accident Happens at Big Pool in the Early Morning—Tracks Blocked All Day.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Hagerstown, Md., January 26.—C. L. Durst, flagman, was instantly killed and E. A. Shewbridge, brakeman, was seriously injured in a rear-end collision between two freight trains on the Western Maryland Railway near Big Pool early this morning. Both men were in the caboose of their train when the engine of the freight following crashed into their frail quarters without a moment's warning.

Durst was 30 years old and resided on West Side avenue, this city. He was unmarried. Shewbridge was removed to the Washington County Hospital here, where it was found that, although seriously injured, he may recover.

The cause of the collision is not definitely known. It is said that Durst, flagman on the first section of train No. 350, should have flagged the second section, following close behind, while his train stopped to take orders. This failure caused the second section, running 25 miles an hour, to crash into the rear end of Durst's train, piling wreckage and debris high in the air. Flagman Durst was buried deep beneath the wreckage, and his body was not recovered until noon today. Wrecking trains from this city and Cumberland were sent to the scene, but the tracks were not cleared until late tonight.

PLANNING FOR ARMORY

Commission Meets at Salisbury to Make Arrangements.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Salisbury, Md., January 26.—The Armory Commission, consisting of General Macklin, Captains Douglas and Bennett, W. B. Miller and ex-Senator Marion V. Brewington, met this morning to take up the actual work of beginning operations for the erection of the armory.

Plans for the floor arrangement for the armory were submitted by Captain Douglas, and the committee decided to accept same and to arrange with an architect to prepare the plans of the elevation and submit plans and detail specifications, so that the contractors can have an opportunity to bid on the building. The commission decided to pay for the lot at the corner of South Division street and Circle avenue and have the deed for the property recorded. Active work will now be pushed, so as to get the building under way as early as possible.

Glenwood Farmers' Club.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Ellicott City, Md., January 26.—The Glenwood Farmers' Club, of the Fourth district, this county, at a special meeting held last night at Oak Hill farm, the home of Humphrey D. Wolfe, near Glenwood, discussed a plan whereby the Westminster road could be macadamized the coming spring. This is the main thoroughfare in this district which leads to the Frederick pike, now a state road. Superintendent G. Hunter Sykes, of the Howard county road department, was present and explained a plan by which aid could be gotten from the Board of County Commissioners in addition to the regular road work, which is already mapped out for the coming season.

Among those present were Humphrey D. Wolfe, William A. Ridgely, Jr., Edwin Warfield, Samuel C. Musgrave, A. Howard Earp, W. Harvey Davis, G. Hunter Sykes, William H. Stimson, Daniel H. Gaither, Charles Warfield, Robert Taylor, Albert N. Dorsey, Mortimer Crapster, Augustus Riggs, William C. Hammond, James Forsythe and others.

Elkridge Eastern Star Chapter.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Ellicott City, Md., January 26.—Chapter No. 20, of the Eastern Star, of Elkridge, this county, at a meeting held in the Masonic Hall at that place, elected the following officers for 1913: Worthy matron, Miss Lula Viola Householder; worthy patron, Mr. Samuel M. Earp; associate matron, Mrs. Ella Warfield; secretary, Mrs. Julia A. Griest; treasurer, Miss E. V. Bauman. After the installation a past matron jewel was presented to Miss E. V. Bauman and a past patron jewel to Mr. Samuel H. Griest. The presentations were made by Mrs. Julia A. Griest and Mr. James D. McConkey. A fine musical program was rendered, followed by a luncheon.

Going Out of Business.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Elkton, Md., January 26.—At a meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Conroy Manufacturing Company, which has a large plant at North East, this county, it was decided to settle up the affairs of the company and to discontinue business. The company is capitalized at $50,000. The directors of the company are Thomas H. Robinson, J. B. Hanway, Stevenson A. Williams, James Lee, P. J. Conroy and Charles P. Bartley.

CUMBERLAND FULL OF SORE ARMS

HALF OF THE POPULATION HAS BEEN VACCINATED.

Those With "Harrington Arms" Walking Around Gingerly to Prevent Anyone Touching the Sensitive Member of Their Anatomy. Baltimore and Ohio Planning to Erect a Half Roundhouse.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Cumberland, Md., January 26.—"Has your arm been scraped?" "Have you been vaccinated?" or "Ouch; let go that arm," are the expressions most frequently heard in Cumberland now, and almost half of the population is walking about fearful that some one will either strike against their arm or touch the vaccinated member. Engagements of all kinds are now being made with the proviso: "If my arm is well enough, I'll be there," and even the dance engagements for the preleuten balls are made along the same line.

Since the order for general vaccination was issued by Dr. Francis E. Harrington, city health officer, the favorite expression made in explanation of a yell when the sore arm is touched is: "I have a Harrington arm," and it goes without saying that Dr. Harrington is not at present the most popular man in the city. Nevertheless, he is being supported by the authorities in the general vaccination movement, and the people are responding to the order promptly.

The city hall was again crowded today with persons anxious to avail themselves of the offer of free vaccination, and the physicians assigned to that duty by the Academy of Medicine were kept quite busy. There are but three cases of smallpox at the Emergency Hospital, about a mile out of the city, and so far there is but one suspect in the vicinity, and that one is fully three miles from Cumberland, out on the Bedford road. The officials of the city believe they have the disease well in hand, and that it will soon be stamped out. The only fear they have is that the last cases removed to the hospital may have come in contact with persons on the street before it was known they were suffering with smallpox and it was for this reason they issued the general vaccination order.

Clerk of the Court John W. Young today address the mass-meeting of the Central Y. M. C. A., and on Sunday next the address will be delivered by F. E. Stacey, of Baltimore, at which time the meeting will be held in the Victoria Theater.

The work of building the new Lutheran Church at Grantsville, Md., will begin in a few days, or just as soon as the lumber and other material can be placed on the ground. The town of Grantsville is not on a railroad and the material must all be shipped by way of Rockwood, Pa., to Little Crossing and hauled overland several miles to Grantsville. Part of the building fund is a bequest from the late Sarah A. Broadwater, of that vicinity.

Rev. W. C. Sykes, formerly of Berlin, Pa., now of the Reformed Church at Jefferson, Md., has been called as pastor of the congregations of the New Centerville Reformed Charge, consisting of New Centerville, Rockwood and Zeners, Pa.

It is understood that plans are being made by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad engineering department for the erection of a half-roundhouse in the yards of the old rolling mill property of the company here, just a short distance southeast of the depot. This structure is to be used for the large passenge engines and will save the expense of running the large engines to and from the roundhouse in South Cumberland, a distance of several miles, and which, it is estimated, costs the company considerable every time an engine is taken to or brought from that point to the depot here.

WORRIED BY WARM WEATHER

Howard County Farmers Fear for Their Wheat Crop.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Ellicott City, Md., January 26.—The farmers, and especially the fruit growers, are greatly worried over the continued warm weather of this month. The farmers seem to think that the warm weather will affect their wheat crop, and the fruit growers are anxiously awaiting cold weather, so that their trees will not begin to bud. There has been some talk of placing ice around the roots of the trees in an effort to prevent the sap from rising, if signs should indicate that it is doing so. In several places throughout the county lilac bushes are covered with small leaves and are breaking into bloom, and wild violets have been found blooming in a number of places. The fields are green and the country has the appearance of late April, instead of the last of January.

Howard Circuit Conference.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Ellicott City, Md., January 26.—The fourth quarterly conference of the Howard Circuit, of this county, was held yesterday and today in Providence Methodist Episcopal Church, South, near Glenelg, which was largely attended. Yesterday, at 11 A. M., Rev. M. D. Mitchell, the presiding elder, preached. This morning Dr. Mitchell also delivered the sermon and administered the sacrament. At 7:30 P. M. tonight Rev. W. H. Sanders installed the following officers of the Epworth League, who were recently elected: President, Miss Minnie Owings; first vice president, George L. Dwyer; second vice president, Miss Nannie Sanders; third vice president, Harry T. Musgrave; secretary, Miss Goldie Dwyer; treasurer, Miss Mary Musgrave.

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DR. WILLARD D. BIGELOW

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Who has just been appointed a member of the Government Board of Food and Drug Inspectors, succeeding Dr. R. E. Doolittle.

EASTERN ROADS WOULD ARBITRATE

EXCEPTION TO STATEMENT OF FIREMEN'S REPRESENTATIVE.

The Fifty-four Railroads Affected by Demands of the 30,000 Members of the Firemen's Brotherhood Signify Willingness to Grant Certain Increases of Wages, According to Managers' Committee Chairman.

New York, January 26.—Reiteration of their willingness to submit to arbitration the demands of their locomotive firemen for increased wages and better working conditions is contained in a statement issued today on behalf of 54 Eastern railroads. The 30,000 members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen employed by these roads, after the suspension recently of prostrated negotiations between their representatives and a committee of managers, are taking a strike vote.

In their statement today the railroads take exception to a quoted statement by representatives of the firemen that their report of the recent conference contained evidence "that the responsibility for a failure to arbitrate all matters in controversy (and thus avoid the turmoil incidental to a strike ballot and the distress that must result from a strike) rests upon the railroads and not upon the locomotive firemen."

In reply the roads declare they have signified to the men a willingness "to grant certain increases of wages" and to apply to the firemen the conclusion of the arbitration board which settled the recent differences between the roads and their engineers. In addition the statement declared:

"The railroads are prepared to arbitrate the present case independently by a board of five or seven men appointed by some such disinterested authorities as Chief Justice White, of the United States Supreme Court, and Dr. C. P. Neill, United States Commissioner of Labor, as was done in the engineers' case."

The statement was sent out by Elisha Lee, chairman of the managers' committee of the roads.

The break in the negotiations between the firemen and the roads, it was generally understood, came through differences as to the method of arbitration. Both sides indorsed the principle, but the roads declared in favor of a board similar to that which decided last year the dispute with the engineers, while the firemen insisted that arbitration under the Erdman Law was the proper course.

WANT SAULSBURY ELECTED

Delaware Democrats to Use Petitions to Influence Insurgents.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Dover, Del., January 26.—With the expectation of influencing the four insurgent Democrats of the Delaware legislature, it was rumored here tonight that petitions were being prepared by the Saulsbury element of the party favoring the election of Willard Saulsbury, the caucus nominee, to be circulated throughout the state for signatures of Democrats, urging that a speedy solution to the senatorial fight be made by the election of Willard Saulsbury because he is the caucus nominee and entitled to it.

It was alleged that the petitions in question have already been circulated in Wilmington and will be sent to the lower part of the state during the coming week, after which the four Democrats holding out will be presented with such petitions with the hopes of convincing them that the vast majority of the Democrats of the state desire his election. The four men referred to are still firm in their determination for a Kent county man and show no desire to recede from that position.

To Preserve Old Graveyard.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Hagerstown, Md., January 26.—Efforts are being made to raise a fund of $5,000 to preserve the graveyard of Zion Reformed Church, on North Potomac street, one of the first of the old cemeteries that has survived the building and industrial progress of Hagerstown. A fund of over $2,000 has already been accumulated. Many local celebrities, including Jonathan Eager, founder of Hagerstown, are buried there, as is also the Reverend Weymer, the first pastor of Zion's Church, although the exact spot of his burial is unknown, he having requested that no tombstone be erected to mark his grave.

Heidelberg Catechism Anniversary.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Hagerstown, Md., January 26.—The three hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the Heidelberg Catechism, the confession of the Reformed Faith, was observed here tonight by a union service between Christ Reformed and Zion Reformed congregations in the latter's church. Rev. Dr. J. Spangler Kieffer, pastor of Zion's Church, spoke on the Heidelberg Catechism, and Rev. Dr. Conrad C. Clever, pastor of Christ's Church, on catechising. A special program was rendered.

David M. Dicken.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Cumberland, Md., January 26.—David M. Dicken, a prominent fruitgrower, is dead at Levels, W. Va., about 10 miles southeast of Cumberland, in the Hampshire county fruit belt, aged about 65 years. The only survivor of the family is Martin L. Dicken, near Union Grove, this county. The old homestead was the Dicken farm, near Evitts Creek, where the dam for the new water supply for Cumberland is being built. Mr. Dicken was a brother-in-law of Dr. William F. Twigg, of Cumberland.

BRYCE AT THE U. OF VA.

Ambassodor From England to Lecture Today and Tomorrow.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Charlottesville, Va., January 26.—The lectures to be delivered at the University of Virginia tomorrow night and Tuesday afternoon by Ambassador Bryce will probably be the last appearance of the distinguished diplomat on an American lecture platform before his return to England.

Mr. A. P. Thom, general counsel of the Southern Railway, has offered his special car for the transportation of Mr. Bryce and his party. Mrs. Bryce, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page and Mr. Thom will accompany the Ambassador. While at the university the party will be the guests of Mrs. Alderman.

Mr. Bryce's first lecture will be delivered tomorrow night in Madison Hall. The second, on Tuesday at noon, will be in the nature of a farewell on the part of the University of Virginia to the distinguished Englishman. Classes will be suspended from 12 to 2 o'clock and the entire student body, members of the faculty and guests will hear the visitor.

The lectures are given under the Barbour-Page Foundation, for the establishment of which the university is indebted to Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page, of Washington.

RAZING AN OLD HOTEL

The Jefferson Park, Charlottesville, Making Way for Improvements.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Charlottesville, Va., January 26.—The Jefferson Park Hotel, the property of the Charlottesville and Albemarle Railway Company, and situated at the southern terminus of the electric street railway line, less than a mile from the University, is being razed. The 110-room structure is well known to visitors to the Albemarle horse show, and for years was a favorite summer resort, being liberally patronized by residents of Richmond and Norfolk. It is being torn down to make way for the prroposed development of the park property.

The material of the building will be used as far as possible in the erection of a number of cottages, under the direction of a landscape engineer, Mr. James Langdon, of Baltimore, who will reach here this week and begin the work of laying out streets and lots. A vaudeville house, with a seating capacity of 500, will be erected and the size of the present dancing pavilion will be doubled. Other attractions will be added for the young people.

YORK ORATORIO SOCIETY

Big Midwinter Concert to Be Given Tomorrow.

Special Dispatch to The American.

York, Pa., January 26.—Next Tuesday evening the big midwinter concert of the York Oratorio Society will be given in this city. The program is an excellent one, and consists of the singing of the cantata The Sleeping Beauty, solo numbers by celebrated artists, selections by the High School chorus and harp solos by Miss Mary F. Warfel.

The cantata will be given by the Oratorio chorus of 200 voices, under the direction of Dr. R. H. Peters, of Baltimore. The assisting soloists will also be from the Monumental City. They are: Mrs. Sarah Williams, soprano; Mrs. Ethyl Henderson Thompson, contralto; Oscar H. Lehman, tenor, and William G. Horn, basso.

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STRIKES KEEP ENGLAND UNEASY

MANY SERIOUS INDUSTRIAL TROUBLES THREATEN.

Welsh Coal Miners, Dissatisfied With the Award of the Parliament Commissioners in the Last Strike, Are Restless Again—Seamen, Firemen and Cotton Spinners Also May Strike.

London, January 26.—England started the new year with a strike of the taxicab drivers, and if the threats of the labor leaders are only partially carried out the present year will prove an even more serious one industrially than that which preceded it, and 1912 broke all records. Despite this the trade of the country likewise broke all records.

While the taxi strike causes much inconvenience in the city, it is the disputes in the industrial districts that are creating the greatest uneasiness. The coal miners of Wales, who were the hardest fighters in the last coal strike, are again restless, being dissatisfied with the award of the commissioner appointed under the act passed by parliament to end the last strike, fixing the minimum wage. A general conference is to be held to deal with the matter. It is certain that the owners will fight against any increase in the cost of production, as they have already lost to American contracts for the Italian Government and Egyptian State Railways because of the high price at which they made tenders.

Union Funds Exhausted.

There are, however, two points against a general strike of the miners. The last struggle almost exhausted the funds of the unions, and under an old agreement the miner's wages are increased as the contract price of coal is raised. As this price has gone up, the miners in the North of England, at any rate, would probably be against another contest with the owners.

Another serious trouble threatened is that arising from the agitation of the seamen and firemen for a systematization of the rates of wages and conditions of service on board ship. The men under the leadership of Havelock Wilson, have been agitating for this for years. They have asked time and time again that a conciliation board be appointed by the owners and unions to standardize the wages and conditions, but the bulk of the owners have refused. In the hope of winning their point the men went on strike in 1911, and demanded a big increase in wages. The big companies granted the wages, and the smaller firms got their men back at the old wages and conditions. It is for these latter that the union is now fighting.

Mr. Wilson has announced that when the union has exhausted all means of diplomacy the executive would fix a date when the seamen would take a "vacation." "In our union," he explained, "the word 'strike' is a very vulgar and nasty word to use."

Cotton Spinners May Strike.

More trouble, too, is brewing in the cotton trade. The Operative Cotton Spinners have given notice of withdrawal from the Brooklands agreement, which has been in operation for some years, and which covered all disputes in the cotton-spinning trade controlled by the Employers' Federation. The action of the spinners was determined by the alleged ineffectiveness of the agreement in dealing with complaints of bad material, which have been a continual source of annoyance to the owners and operatives, and which have increased enormously recently. The cardroom-workers also have grievances against the agreement, and they, too, have given the necessary month's notice of withdrawal.

The London bakers are also preparing for a struggle for better wages and shorter hours. In some parts of London the condition of the working bakers is deplorable. They have to work long hours in poorly ventilated cellars for the merest pittance. They have organized, and by a large majority have agreed to go on strike unless their demands are granted.

Throughout the railway world there is considerable unrest over what the men call "victimization." They claim that any of their number who are known to be active in trade unionism are quickly gotten rid of by the companies or are put at such work that they cannot readily meet the other workmen.

Railway Men Restless.

One big company, however, has found a way out of having continual disputes with the men. This is the London and Northwestern, the management of which has appointed a "grievance hearer."

This man, who had proved himself to be a good conciliator, was chosen to keep in touch with the men and investigate their grievances. Thus far the company announces that the experiment has been a great success, but it was pointed out that this was not a case of creating a post and finding a man for it, but rather of a sphere of activities being suggested by the personal qualities of a certain man.

Unpleasantness is also cropping up again along the London docks over the slowness with which it is alleged the port of London authority is reinstating those men who went on strike last year. Men were brought from the outside to fill their places, and, although the docks are as busy as ever, work cannot be found for all. The result is that many of the old men have found themselves without employment during the winter, and the distress in the dock district has been more serious than ever before.

NEGRO BOY FIRES BARNS

J. W. Via Loses Two Buildings, Six Horses and Other Things.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Charlottesville, Va., January 26.—John W. Via, one of the best-known farmers of the Free Union neighborhood, in the northern end of the county, lost both of his barns by fire at an early hour this morning, together with their contents, including six horses, two farm wagons and a surrey, harness, farming implements, 20 barrels of corn and a quantity of other feed.

Leslie Lindsay, colored, aged 17, suspected of being the incendiary, was found at the home of his mother, Mary Lindsay, two miles beyond the Via farm. Upon being taken to the scene of the fire it was found that his shoes fitted the tracks thereabouts. The boy then confessed setting fire to the barn. He was at once brought to Charlottesville by Constable Burrus and lodged in the county jail.

There was only $500 insurance on the buildings and none on their contents, which belonged principally to Mr. Via's son-in-law, W. E. Wood.

The Tobacco Market.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Lynchburg, Va., January 26.—Local tobacco warehousemen estimate now that about 60 per cent. of the crop to be marketed here this season has been sold, the aggregate sales thus far being 8,000,000 pounds. It was hoped at the beginning of the season that the sales would reach at least 15,000,000, but several severe drouths during the growing season blasted their hopes, and now if the sales go as high as 13,000,000 pounds some of the dealers will be surprised. The sales the past week amounted to 806,500 pounds, being an increase over the previous week of 81,500 pounds.

Negress Kills Paramour.

Special Dispatch to The American.

Lynchburg, Va., January 26.—Bettie Redd, colored, in a dispute with her paramour, Lucian Brown, regarding his attention to other women, plunged a knife into his heart last night at their home on Dabney street. He died within 10 minutes and she fled at once and had not been caught at last accounts. The couple came here recently from Farmville.

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Special Dispatch to The American.

York, Pa., January 26.—Dedication services today at the Bethany United Brethren Church, Hallam, were largely attended. The dedicatory sermon was delivered by Rev. W. H. Washinger, presiding elder of the district. In the afternoon a platform service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Gohn, at which sufficient money was raised to pay nearly all of the church indebtedness. At this service many of the former pastors of the congregation delivered addresses.

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