

Davis, Athletics' Veteran First Sacker

"Silent Harry" Is Slated to Handle the Cleveland Naps Next Season



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McBride, Washington's Shortstop

Manager McAleer Says His Brilliant Infielder Compares Favorably With the Best in the Game



Photo by American Press Association.

Caldwell, Yanks' Young Pitcher

Many Critics Predict That With More Experience He Will Develop Into a Star



Konetchy, Cardinals' Shining Light

St. Louis' Big First Baseman Is a Tower of Strength to Roger Bresnahan's Aggregation of Ball Tossers



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Bescher, Reds' Speedy Outfielder

Manager Clark Griffith of Cincinnati Says "Big Bob" Is the Swiftest Base Runner in Game

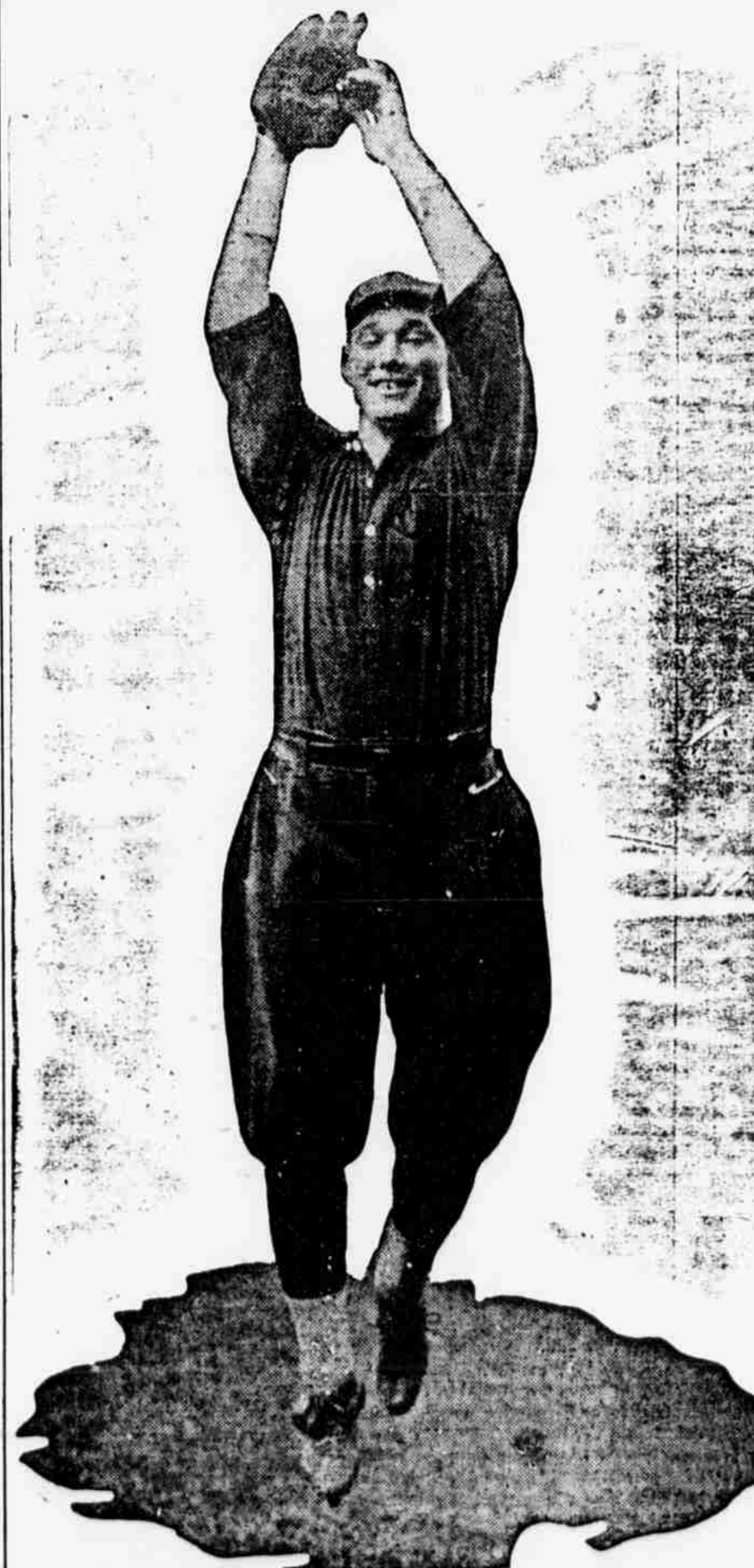


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PASSES STATEHOOD BILL.

In Form Acceptable to President, It Goes Through Senate, Washington, Aug. 24.—Statehood for

New Mexico and Arizona on a basis acceptable to President Taft was approved by the senate through the passage of the Flood-Smith resolution presented by Senator William Alden Smith, chairman of the committee on

territories. The resolution passed 53 to 8 after a debate in which the house was charged with evading a vote on the president's statehood veto, and in which the president was charged with trying to coerce the people of Arizona on the proposed recall of judges. The senate measure will be considered in the house today and that body will be able to pass it if it chooses to do so, without having to vote first on a re-passage of the vetoed resolution. It might go to the president today or Monday.

The new resolution, favored by the president, requires that Arizona shall eliminate from its new constitution the recall of judges provisions before it shall be admitted to the union. New Mexico is instructed to vote again on a change in its constitution designed to make that act more easily amendable in the future, but it is not made a condition of New Mexico's statehood the people approve that change suggested by congress.

MAY STOP AIR MEET.

Wrights Demand All Gate Receipts and Destruction of All Planes.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Coroner Peter Hoffman has threatened to close the great aviation tournament here, by legal means, if necessary, unless the aviators cease flying over the heads of the thousands of spectators. Contestants have ignored the rules, which prohibit them from flying over the crowds.

Suits have been filed against the officials of the International Aviation Meet association by the Wright brothers, charging infringement of their patent rights. A permanent injunction to stop the tournament, and an accounting of all money taken in as gate receipts, are demanded.

No United States Judge is in Chicago and no hearing can be secured until the meet has closed.

Orville Wright said his company would not push its efforts to stop the meet, but would ask for all money taken in, as damages for infringement, and that every aeroplane in Chicago be turned over to them for destruction.

Wright aviators will continue in the meet, competing for the first time against rival flyers.

MADERO QUELLS REVOLT.

Greeted First as Traitor, Later He Draws Applause.

Mexico City, Aug. 19.—Francisco I. Madero has induced Emilio Zapata to surrender his arms. He advised President De La Barra of the result of his interview with the leader of the rebels in the state of Morelos and the government, relying on the word of Zapata, will send an officer to Cuertavala today to muster out insurgents. Madero arrived in Cuertavala at midday. The rebels, styling him "traitor," threatened to assassinate him if he entered their camp. Later they greeted him with "viva's."

Standing in the public square he drew from them general applause by a speech and then began his conference with Zapata.

Today would have seen the beginning of hostilities.

LIVERPOOL IS IN TURMOIL.

Electric Power Cut Off—Newspapers Inflaming the Mob.

Liverpool, Aug. 19.—The city was in semi-darkness a part of last night. Only a fraction of the usual electrical power was available and that was used to make possible a continuation of the curtailed tramway service. The railway stations had been closed and train service stopped and large crowds fought for places on the tram cars. Even then thousands were forced to walk long distances to their homes in the suburbs. The tramway service was cut off entirely at 9 o'clock and the power used to light the streets as a measure of safety.

Only three trains left Liverpool for London and two for Manchester. Three thousand young men have been enrolled as special constables. All the city magistrates met in secret conferences and the mayor again appealed to the newspapers to avoid inflaming the people by printing sensational headlines.

Business at the markets and on the exchanges was suspended, notices being posted that labor troubles prevented their usual work. The Liverpool Express will be unable to publish today because of the cutting off of its electric power.

Two loaded prison vans were escorted through the streets by the Scotch greys. One of them was filled with women, who were singing "Fall in and Follow Me."

GETS \$2,000,000.

Madeline Force Will Get Cash, But Lose Dower Rights.

New York, Aug. 19.—Madeline Force is to receive \$2,000,000 in cash when she marries John J. Astor, but she must sign away all her dower rights.

ROY E. LUCAS KILLED.

Fremont Boy Meets Untimely Death in Mississippi.

Fremont, Neb., Aug. 19.—A telegram from Water Valley, Miss., announced the death in an accident of Roy E. Lucas, a former Fremont boy. Particulars were not given.

Warnke-Wright.

Madison, Neb., Aug. 19.—Special to The News: Judge Bates joined in bonds of wedlock, Edward Warnke of Boone county and Miss Irene Hermine Wright of Battle Creek.

NORRIS OUT FOR LA FOLLETTE.

F. A. Harrison Announces That Insurgent Will Support Wisconsin Man. Lincoln, Aug. 19.—George W. Norris, congressman from the Fifth district, and announced candidate for United States senator next year on the republican ticket, has declared himself for Senator La Follette of Wisconsin

for president in 1912, according to F. A. Harrison of this city. Harrison asserts the declaration of the McCook man was given as an authorized statement through a letter to him. In this Norris said much had been accomplished in the fight of the last two years towards the overthrow of political control by the machine, the political boss and the trust and combinations. The next logical step would be the nomination and election of a true progressive as president of the United States.

Further tribute to the Wisconsin senator was paid in declaring that the so-called special interests are made his victims in this bloodless war and that his nomination would be the greatest victory to be achieved by a progressive people.

MOTIVE FOR MURDER.

Hesse May Have Feared Wife Would Return to First Husband.

Tecumseh, Neb., Aug. 19.—That L. C. McMaster, former husband of Mrs. E. E. Hesse of Tecumseh, whose body, with that of her 15-year-old daughter, was found in the old well on the Hesse place, hoped some day for a reconciliation with his wife, is thought by Johnson county people to have been the motive for the crime now laid at the door of E. E. Hesse, one of the best known Burlington bridge men in the west.

Old letters saved from the fire which destroyed the Hesse home on the evening of July 23, 1910, and which, it is supposed was set by Hesse to hide the evidence of his guilt, show that McMaster in writing to his daughter Waumeta, thought much of the two and laid the blame for the divorce, which separated him and his wife, to himself. That one or more of these letters may have fallen into the possession of Hesse, and caused him to brood over the matter until he committed the deed, is considered the only possible solution to the gruesome tragedy, now more than a year old.

Rumors to the effect that McMaster may have been another of the late husband's victims are disproved, following the finding of several letters which indicate that at the time of the crime he was to have been, if he carried out his plans, some distance from Johnson county. A Tecumseh citizen saw McMaster several weeks ago in Chicago, according to current report, and an effort is being made to locate him now in the hope that additional light may be shed on the tragedy.

Efforts to locate Hesse have so far proved fruitless.

HEAVY RAIN IN HILLS.

Will Be of Much Benefit to the Late Crops.

Deadwood, S. D., Aug. 19.—Heavy showers fell throughout the Black Hills and covered a wide area north and west during the night, and are continuing today, with great benefit to late potatoes, corn and pastures.

MURDER CHARGED.

Vaudeville Couple Will Be Arraigned for Preliminary.

Fremont, Neb., Aug. 19.—Information charging Louis Rogers and Mrs. Caroline Rietschle, the vaudeville couple, with murder in the first degree for the death of the infant found in a box car at Colon has been filed in justice court before Justice of the Peace Allen Johnson by County Attorney Cook.

The show people will be given their preliminary hearing either Saturday or early next week. Witnesses will be brought here from Omaha, Colon and Wahoo by the county attorney. As yet neither Rogers nor Mrs. Rietschle has engaged counsel.

Ewing Boosters Out.

Ewing, Neb., Aug. 19.—Special to The News: Ten automobiles containing thirty-eight boosters, including the Ewing band, started out yesterday to boost for the chautauqua to be held here five days commencing August 24. The itinerary planned took in the towns of Inman, Page, Orchard, Clearwater and Neligh, and notwithstanding the bad roads in places caused by the rain, the boosters made fairly good schedule time, the trip being pronounced a decided success. The chautauqua attendance promises to be large.

Thinks Airships Will be General.

A. L. Killian, who was one of the spectators at the Chicago aviation meet Tuesday afternoon when two of the flyers were killed, believes that the time is comparatively near at hand when aeroplanes will actually be brought into general use by the layman, just as automobiles are now.

"There were countless thousands of automobiles out for the airship flights, and I saw four horses," Mr. Killian said. It occurred to him that in the not very distant future the auto would be relegated to the rear by the aeroplane, just as the horse has gone before the march of the auto.

"It looks perfectly simple and easy," Mr. Killian said. "They get in, turn a wheel and soar into the air like birds. It looks as easy as running an automobile. They glide along about the height of a man's head, then rise to tremendous altitude, then dip and sail and glide. It looks remarkably easy and everybody with any nerve at all wants to go up. One Chicago alderman bought a plane for \$4,500 for general use. I like the monoplane better than the biplanes." At one time he saw nine airships flying simultaneously.

Mr. Killian has been away for several weeks. He was at Cedar Rapids, Ia., where the Killian company has just bought a store; and later went to New York and other eastern market centers.

TAIL LIGHTS WOULD HELP.

Auto Men Think All Vehicles Should Have Them.

Considering the ever possible accident between motor cars and car-

riages at night and in behalf of the safety of the people who travel after dark in vehicles, the motor car owners and dealers of Norfolk favor an ordinance requiring all conveyances to carry tail lights after sunset. Like ordinances have been passed in other large cities of the country recently and are reported to be the means of avoiding many accidents.

While the motor car owners have not started a campaign for a similar ordinance in Norfolk, it is especially to all drivers. Norfolk especially is adapted to such an ordinance according to the owners. It is a city with a large area considering its population. The motor car men say that many of the streets are not well lighted.

Girl Swimmer Has Close Call.

Valentine, Neb., Aug. 18.—Special to The News: Miss Hazel Noyes had a narrow escape from drowning in the Minnehadua mill pond. She swam about fifteen feet from shore and, being a beginner, became exhausted and sank under the water. Miss Josephine McLean, one of the expert swimmers of this section, went to her assistance and held her head above water until a raft was pushed out from the shore.

FRIDAY FACTS.

P. H. Davis went to Fremont on business.

Herman Raesch of Stanton was here visiting with friends.

Ex-Manager Vore Lano of the Western Union left for St. Paul, Minn.

Walter Plint returned from Neligh where he spent a day with friends.

Miss Lenora Hans of Battle Creek is here visiting with Miss Adella Buchholz.

Miss Alice Spieka of Omaha is in the city visiting with the A. Buchholz family.

Miss Marie Emgo of Missouri Valley, Ia., is the guest of Miss Anne Welsh.

Mrs. Bishop and son of Lincoln are here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Phinney.

Mrs. C. L. Anderson has gone to Holstein, Ia., to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Brandt.

Mrs. Fred Benne and Miss Clara Benne of Stanton were here visiting with the W. L. Lehman family.

Curtiss R. Stitt, who has been here visiting with his brother, J. C. Stitt for the past few days, has returned to his home at Lincoln.

Mrs. Bess Kovba of Chicago and Mrs. Sanders and W. R. Schmidt of Verdigré are visiting at the home of Mrs. Charles Holtman.

Dr. and Mrs. Pringle and daughter of Pierce and Mrs. W. D. Millett of Casper, Wyo., visited at the W. H. Blakeman home this week.

H. F. Barnhart is moving from South Ninth street to 406 Madison avenue.

L. C. Lane has purchased the popcorn and peanut business formerly conducted by Harry Hill.

John Krantz is having his household goods stored. M. E. Crozier will move into the Krantz residence soon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hanse are now comfortably located in their new bungalow at 434 Third street.

Harry Becmer is looking for a railroad Bremen who he declares has passed a bad check amounting to \$15 on him.

The Norfolk city library will be closed for one week, owing to the fact that the new bookcases have arrived and are being installed.

Gustave Koerber was fined \$10 in Judge Eiseley's court Thursday for using obscene language. Carl Sorge made the complaint against Koerber.

There seems but little improvement in the condition of David Baum who has been ill for ten weeks. The fever has disappeared but Mr. Baum is very weak.

Willis E. Reed of Madison was in the city enroute to his home at Madison from Butte, where he delivered an address. Mr. Reed has many addresses scheduled for the future, among them one before the Norfolk fire department.

Ed Benning is suffering from a bad wound caused by the bite of a dog. Mr. Benning's hand is badly swollen and it is feared the hand will become infected. The dog, when it sprang at Mr. Benning, gave no warning. It is reported that this dog has bitten others and is very dangerous.

The special train of Gen. Supt. Pechin of the M. & O. left the city last evening after a general inspection was made of the depot and conditions here.

Among the officials on the special were Supt. Pechin, General Passenger Agent Sedona, Freight Claim Agent Grochau, Supt. of Bridges and Buildings Dgier, division Superintendent O'Neill, Roadmaster Pierce and Mr. Hall.

A woman claiming to be Mrs. R. E. Palmer, wife of Northwestern Brake-man R. E. Palmer, has secured groceries and other staples to the amount of \$25 at one of the local stores. R. E. Palmer was in the city from Oakdale, where he is now living. He declares the woman has been getting goods from other stores in the city under his name. He is anxious to meet her.

Switchman Walter Sherbahn is suffering from an injured foot and a bruised leg, which, although slight, might have resulted more seriously when the night switch engine in the south side yards went off the track last night. Two switchmen were thrown from the engine. Sherbahn's feet were caught under the footboard of the engine and he would have been crushed but for the fact that he clung to the engine with his hands.

The party of four Norfolk men who went to Omaha to see the golf tournament, returned at 10:30 a. m. They had remained at Fremont over night. Great golf they saw. One man considerably older than Harry Legg, made Legg play hard to win the thirty-six hole match. At noon, after eighteen holes, they were even, but in the afternoon Legg won, 3 up and 2 to play.

In the party were: Dr. P. H. Salter, Dr. C. S. Parker, J. S. Mathewson, S. G. Mayer.