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LINKS MISSING IN EVIDENCE IN BAILEY MURDER

Coroner May Be Forced to Order
Discharge of Mrs. Carman at
Preliminary Hearing.

GRAND JURY IS AT WORK
Assistant District Attorney Says
May Not Be Enough Facts
to Secure Indictment.

PRISONER IS IN BETTER SPIRITS
Collapses Later, However, and is
Given Sedative.

STATEMENT BY HER LAWYER
He Says He Will Prove that Wit-
nesses on Whose Testimony
She Was Arrested Were
Out of Town.

JUST ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE N. E. A.



DAVID STARR JORDAN.

JORDAN HEADS EDUCATORS

Stanford Man is Elected President
of Association.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE IS ENDORSED

Resolution Says Teachers Believe
Equality for Sexes is for the
Best Interests of the
Nation.

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 9.—Dr. David Starr Jordan of Stanford university was elected president of the National Education Association at the annual business meeting today. He was unopposed. President Swain automatically became first vice president.

Other officers elected were: Vice presidents, Grace C. Strahan, New York; Walter R. Siders, Idaho; Mrs. Helen Hefferan, Illinois; J. W. Bristol, Tennessee; Isabel Williams, Minnesota; R. C. Stearns, Virginia; Mrs. Josephine Preston, Washington; J. G. Collicott, Indiana; Mrs. Cora G. Lewis, Kansas; F. L. Cook, South Dakota. Treasurer, Grace M. Shepard, Idaho. Secretary Springer's term did not expire this year.

Oakland, Cal., was chosen as the meeting place next year.

The resolutions committee embodied in its report a resolution endorsing woman suffrage. The resolution does not specifically mention man or woman suffrage, but states that the educators of the country believe "political equality" for both sexes necessary for the best interest of the nation.

The report of the committee on resolutions approving woman suffrage and equal pay for teachers regardless of sex was adopted without a fight.

Regarding woman suffrage the resolution says:

"The association regards efficiency and merit, rather than sex, as the principle on which most selections should be made, and, therefore, declares itself in favor of the political equality of the sexes and equal pay for equal services."

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Long Beach City is Responsible for Collapse of Pier

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 9.—The city of Long Beach was held responsible for the condition of its municipal pier when it collapsed during a celebration on Empire day, May 24, 1913, killing forty-one persons and injuring more than 200.

The jury decided by a vote of 10 to 2 in favor of the city, awarding \$750,000 damages to George Chafor and his son, Edward, for the death of Chafor's wife. They asked for \$15,000.

More than a hundred other damage suits, aggregating \$3,000,000, have been held in abeyance awaiting the outcome of the test suit.

The jury held that the city of Long Beach had been negligent in inspecting the pier, the timbers of which were found to be rotten.

O'Connor Will Case Battle of Experts

HASTINGS, Neb., July 9.—(Special.)—After a number of witnesses had testified that the signature on the will was genuine, the proponents' side rested this afternoon in the case wherein John T. Culvan of Omaha is seeking to secure the \$100,000 estate of John O'Connor through the probate of the purported will making him the sole beneficiary.

The proponent proved by a Hastings banker that O'Connor made frequent deposits and transacted business about the time of the date of the will, February 25, 1912. The banker and other witnesses testified that O'Connor was competent at that time.

The allied claimants opposing the probate of the will called Lewis E. Wetling, handwriting expert of Lincoln, as the first witness. He testified that the body of the will and signature were written by the same hand but not O'Connor's. He was sure of the forgery, after comparing the signature on the will with the signature on O'Connor's checks. This contradicted the testimony of the Hastings banker, J. R. McLaughlin, who testified for the proponent that the signature on the will was genuine.

The allied claimants may claim in addition to the testimony of the Hastings banker, J. R. McLaughlin, who testified for the proponent that the signature on the will was genuine.

O'Connor was incompetent at the time of the date of the will. On cross-examination McLaughlin said that O'Connor was in the habit of having the bank attach make out his deposit slips for him.

FINDING IN EMPRESS CASE MAKES 11,000 WORDS

QUEBEC, July 9.—Findings of the commission which investigated the wreck of the Empress of Ireland makes 11,000 words, not only dealing with causes of the collision, but making recommendations for new precautions against disaster. The report will be submitted next Saturday.

GUADALAJARA T. A. REBELS

Second Largest City in Mexico Falls
Before Attack of General
Obregon.

REPORT COMES TO NOGALES
Guaymas, Seaport in Sonora State,
Holding Out Over Year, About
to Be Evacuated.

KAHN RESOLUTION IS TABLED
House Committee Voes to Report
Motion Unfavorably.

FUNSTON AND FED CHIEF MEET
American General at Vera Cruz
Confers with Commander of
Federal Troops Outside
City.

NOGALES, Sonora, Mexico, July 9.—Guadalajara, the second largest city of Mexico, has fallen before the attack of General Alvaro Obregon, according to information received by constitutionalist officials here today. Guaymas, a seaport of the state of Sonora, which has held out for more than a year, is about to be evacuated, according to the same source of information.

KAHN RESOLUTION Tabled.
WASHINGTON, July 9.—Acting in accord with State department recommendations that it was unwise to agitate the Mexican question in congress at this time, the house foreign affairs committee today voted to report unfavorably the Kahn resolution calling for information of alleged official assurances that constitutionalists might import arms from the United States by way of Cuba without interference.

Rafael Zubaran, confidential agent here of General Carranza, said today that while he had received no word as to the attitude of the constitutionalist chief toward the proposed informal peace conference with General Huerta's representatives, he had by no means lost hope of a favorable answer.

Zubaran and his associate, Luis Cabrera, indicated they would continue their efforts to bring about the conference, and that probably one of their junks here would leave in a day or two for Saltillo to press the argument in person.

FUNSTON SEES IZUNZA.
VERA CRUZ, July 9.—Brigadier General Funston today made a trip to the gap in the railroad, where he conferred briefly with Lieutenant Colonel Izunza, commander of the Mexican federal troops.

On his return the American general said nothing important had been discussed, but that he had thanked Colonel Izunza for several recent courtesies extended to Americans, such as the return of two marines who had wandered out of the lines.

General Funston also explained the recent trip of a small mounted party from the American garrison at El Tejar to Medillina, a village within the federal lines. Colonel Izunza yesterday called the attention of the American commander to this incident, saying he regretted its occurrence, as such movements were liable to bring about an unnecessary clash and loss of life.

When the train bearing General Funston reached the gap the federal commander and an aide came through the American lines and the conference was held on board the covered flat car at the head of the train in which General Funston had made the journey in company with Rear Admiral Sir Christopher Craddock, the British naval commander, who was on his way to Mexico City.

Admiral Craddock said he was going to confer with Sir Lionel Carden, the British minister; and it was reported here that he intended to discuss the advisability of sending British legion guards to Mexico City.

American and other passengers who arrived here today from the capital brought no confirmation of the report that General Huerta's wife and some other members of his family had already left Mexico City. They said they believed Senora Huerta was still there and they also declared that General Huerta was seeking to prevent the departure of the families of his officials. When he failed in his attempt, according to the passengers, the officials were usually removed from office as a penalty.

New York's First Water Supply Tank to Be Torn Down

NEW YORK, July 9.—The big iron tank of the Manhattan company which supplied water to New York City on the lower part of Manhattan island a century ago will be destroyed when the four-story building at Lafayette and Read streets is torn down, which will be soon, to make room for a new building. The building which is to be based on the ground which was the site of the Manhattan company for more than a century.

Several wells were dug, the largest being thirty-five feet deep. Over this well a tank of iron was erected and this tank has for more than a century been inclosed in the building about to be torn down. The water was piped to the lower part of the city in line logs.

WEST POINT CADETS NOMINATED BY PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, July 9.—Announcement was made at the War department today of the designation of the following candidates for appointment for admission to the military academy at West Point at the beginning of the academic year, 1915: Iowa—Ernest W. Gruhn, Manning; Kansas—George B. Barth, Leavenworth; Percy S. Lowe, alternate, Leavenworth.

KANSAS CITY MAN KILLED IN AUTOMOBILE UPSET

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., July 9.—An automobile accident at the summit of Teahachapi mountain yesterday cost the life of Robert Hardy and seriously injured his brother, C. H. Hardy, both of Kansas City. Mrs. Robert Hardy is in Los Angeles.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL Thursday, July 9, 1914.

The Senate.
Met at 11 a. m.
Banking committee continued consideration of nomination to the federal reserve board.

The House.
Met at noon.
Consideration of amendment to the Indian bill was continued.
The judiciary committee considered impeached charges against Federal Judge Dayton of West Virginia.

The Foundling



Drawn for The Bee by Powell.

LIPTON MAY BE PROSECUTED

Army Contract Scandal Comes Up in House of Commons.

FRAUD AND BRIBERY ALLEGED

Justice Darling Says Convicted Agents of Company Were Working on System Approved by Directors.

LONDON, July 9.—Criminal prosecution of Sir Thomas Lipton, the chairman, and his co-directors in Lipton Limited, was suggested by Sir Arthur Markham, a liberal member, in a question addressed to the attorney general appearing in today's parliamentary papers.

The question arose out of the recent conviction of five army officers and eight civilian employees of Lipton Limited on charges of receiving and giving bribes to influence the allotment of supply contracts for the army canteens.

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Imported Men Taken Into Westinghouse Plant During Night

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 9.—Several thousand strikers hurried to the Westinghouse factories in East Pittsburgh early today when it was reported that three cars loaded with workers from Detroit and Philadelphia were coming. The train had arrived earlier, however, and later these men were joined by others said to have been employed in Pittsburgh. One man was arrested by the troopers for using abusive language, and W. R. Foley, a member of the strike committee, was placed under bonds to keep the peace.

Fifteen Men Hurt by Gas Explosion

CLEVELAND, O., July 9.—Fifteen men were injured, five probably fatally, when gas exploded in a furnace of the Corbin-McKinney iron company here this afternoon. Thirteen of the injured are in a hospital.

MORTGAGEE ASKS FOR SALE OF FRISCO ROAD

ST. LOUIS, July 9.—Foreclosure of a mortgage of \$25,000,000 on the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad was asked in the United States district court here today by the Guaranty Trust company of New York. The Frisco now is in the hands of receivers.

The petition asks that the mortgage be declared a valid lien against the property which it covers, which includes a large part of the Frisco system.

The mortgage was given to secure a series of refunding 4 per cent bonds issued in 1901. The petition says that the accrued interest on the bonds is \$1,375,000.

Mysterious Threat of Murder Puzzling Police of Two Cities

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—The police of San Francisco were asked today to assist in the solution of a mystery suggested by an interchange of telegrams between the chiefs of police of this city and Atlanta, Ga. Police Chief White received from the department head of the southern city the following:

"See Marshall Nelms, and inform him that his mother has received a letter from his sister, Eloise, postmarked San Francisco, July 2, stating that she killed her sister, Beatrice, in New Orleans, and that she intends to kill her brother, Marshall."

Nelms told the police that he had two sisters, Beatrice Nelms and Mrs. Eloise Dennis. They had gone from New Orleans to Texas in June, and the last word from them was to their mother, dated June 23, from Texas, and jointly signed by the initials E. and B. He showed the following telegram, signed "Mamma," received yesterday:

"Look out for Eloise. She has killed B."

Nelms declined to furnish the police with any further information unless it was shown no murder had been committed. A search of San Francisco and Oakland has failed to result in a trace of Mrs. Eloise Dennis.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 9.—Mrs. J. W. Nelms, when located here today, admitted that she had enlisted the aid of the police of California, Louisiana, Texas and Georgia in an effort to clear up the mystery surrounding a letter recently received from her daughter, Mrs. Dennis, in which the latter intimated that she had killed her sister and intended to take her brother's life.

VETERAN GOLFERS DEFEATED

Younger Favorites Win in the Championship Flight.

MANY EXTRA HOLE MATCHES

Field Club Youngster Wins from F. H. Gaines at the Eighteenth Hole, Eliminating Last Veteran in Tourney.

No golf tournament in Omaha ever developed so many extra-hole competitions as did the second day of play at the Nebraska State Tournament at the Happy Hollow club yesterday, when five two-somes played one or two extra holes to decide who should remain in the various flights in which they were entered.

Around the eighteenth hole, there was plenty of excitement during the afternoon, when the pairs began to come in. Frank Hale of the Field Club went twenty holes to defeat William Polson of the Lincoln County club, winning with a fortunate mashie into the circus ring.

Clarence Peters went to the nineteenth hole with Harold Johnson, only to meet defeat at the hands of the Happy Hollow club player, who played a perfect three for the hole.

F. L. McCoy beat Charles Battelle on the nineteenth hole, and match between J. H. Conrad and K. Denner likewise went an extra hole. J. H. Porter defeated G. F. Gilmore at the twentieth hole, after played a strong game of consistent golf throughout the round.

FAMOUS BOARD WALK AT QUEBEC IS BURNED

QUEBEC, July 9.—The board walk on Dufferin Terrace, Quebec's famous thoroughfare overlooking the St. Lawrence river, caught fire today and for a time threatened the Chateau Frontenac hotel.

KERMIT ROOSEVELT AND WIFE SAIL FOR HOME

SOUTHAMPTON, England, July 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, daughter of Colonel Roosevelt, were on board the Imperator, which sailed for New York today.

NOMINATION OF JONES REJECTED BY SENATE BODY

Unfavorable Action Taken on Wilson's Choice for Board Member by Committee.

VOTE STANDS SEVEN TO FOUR
Case of Paul M. Warburg Has Been Indefinitely Postponed.

TWO REPUBLICANS IN MAJORITY
First Test of Strength on Floor Will Come Monday.

CONNECTED WITH HARVESTER
Chicagoan's Being Director of International Reason for Opposition Existing Against Him.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The administration met today in the first stage of its fight to have the senate confirm the nomination of Thomas D. Jones of Chicago and Paul M. Warburg of New York, as members of the Federal Reserve board.

The banking and currency committee voted, 7 to 4, to report the nomination of Mr. Jones, two republicans voted for an unfavorable report.

The vote came after a long discussion of the testimony given by Mr. Jones when he appeared before the committee early in the week.

Little Criticism.
There was little criticism of Mr. Jones other than that he was a director of the Harvester company, but several members are said to have declared they could not conscientiously approve a man connected with a concern now being prosecuted.

Stress was laid on the fact that some of the acts of the harvester company complained of in the government's bill asking for its dissolution were committed since April, 1909, when Mr. Jones became a director.

Objection to Mr. Warburg so far is based upon an entirely different reason. The committee has asked him to appear and submit to questions about his business connections. He had refused, and the question as now viewed by the senate is whether it should confirm any man who will accept such an invitation.

First Test of Strength.
The first test of strength on the Warburg nomination may come Monday when a resolution will be reported from the senate rules committee increasing the membership of the banking committee. This resolution did not receive the approval of the rules committee, but will be brought to the floor anyhow and its appearance may lead to the debate which will disclose some of the feeling in the senate toward the nomination.

The president made it clear today that he did not take the same view of Mr. Jones' testimony before the banking committee as some of its members took, and said the committee's statement about what Jones said made him distrust its accuracy.

Acting Chairman Hitchcock made this answer:

"The Jones testimony has been printed confidentially and I am sure the president can have a copy of it if he asks the executive clerk of the senate for it."

A letter from the Chicago delegation of business men received yesterday by the president, endorsing Mr. Wilson's statement in support of Mr. Warburg and Mr. Jones was made public at the White House.

"No more hopeful, helpful, finer words ever have come from the White House, and we believe they will meet with the nation's hearty approval," said the letter.

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The Weather

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday.	
Hours.	Deer.
5 a. m.	59
6 a. m.	60
7 a. m.	61
8 a. m.	62
9 a. m.	63
10 a. m.	64
11 a. m.	65
12 m.	66
1 p. m.	67
2 p. m.	68
3 p. m.	69
4 p. m.	70
5 p. m.	71
6 p. m.	72
7 p. m.	73
8 p. m.	74
9 p. m.	75

Comparative Local Record.	
1914.	1913.
Highest yesterday.	82
Lowest yesterday.	58
Normal temperature.	76
Precipitation.	0.00

Temperature and precipitation departures from the normal.	
Normal.	1914.
Excess for the day.	6
Total excess since March 1.	205
Normal precipitation.	15 inch
Deficiency for the day.	0.00
Total deficiency since March 1.	14.49 inches
Deficiency for year period, 1914.	11.11 inch
Deficiency for year period, 1913.	6.56 inch

Reports from Stations at 7 p. m.	
Station and State.	Temp. High. Rain.
Omaha, clear.	74 0.00
Cheney, clear.	80 0.00
DeWaver, clear.	86 0.00
Denver, clear.	92 0.00
Des Moines, clear.	82 0.00
Leander, cloudy.	92 0.01
North Platte, clear.	86 0.00
Omaha, clear.	74 0.00
Pueblo, clear.	88 0.00
Sioux Falls, clear.	82 0.00
Union City, cloudy.	80 0.01
Yankton, partly cloudy.	74 0.00
Sheridan, partly cloudy.	80 0.00
Sioux City, clear.	82 0.00
Valentine, partly cloudy.	80 0.00

N. indicates trace of precipitation.

T. A. WELSH, Local Forecast.