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JUDGE IS CONVICTED

SENATE BARS ARCHBALD FROM EVER HOLDING OFFICE IN UNITED STATES.

WIFE LISTENS TO VERDICT

Commerce Court Jurist Is Removed From the Bench by Most Drastic Resolution—Defendant Crushed at Extent of Decision Against Him.

Washington, Jan. 15.—On five of the thirteen counts brought against him in the impeachment proceedings before the United States senate, Robert W. Archbald, judge of the commerce court, one of the most important tribunals in the land, was found guilty Monday. On the first count only five of the 73 senators voting supported Archbald.

He was by the following resolution of the senate removed from his high office and forbidden ever again to hold an office of profit or honor under the United States government: "The senate does, therefore, order and decree, and it is hereby adjudged that the respondent, Robert W. Archbald, circuit judge for the United States for the Third judicial circuit and designated to serve in the commerce court, be and he is hereby removed from office and that he be and is hereby forever disqualified to hold and enjoy any office of honor, trust or profit under the United States."

Judge Archbald's wife watched the voting on the thirteen counts from the senate gallery and remained till the end although the first vote told her that her husband had been stripped of his judicial robes. His son, Robert W. Archbald, Jr., who has acted as his counsel, sat on the floor of the senate apparently unmoved through the long session. Archbald himself fumed and fretted in a committee room on the gallery floor. He was utterly crushed when he learned the extent of the verdict against him and retiring to his home, refused to see or talk with anyone.

The scene as the senatorial jury was delivering its verdict was as impressive as it was unusual. One by one the senators rose in their places as their names were called and answered "guilty" or "not guilty." Some of them spoke in very low tones. All were apparently affected by the solemnity of the occasion.

The overwhelming vote against Archbald on the first count, which had to do with the coercion of the Erie railroad to enter into a contract with him for the purchase of a culm bank, was sufficient to establish the fate of the respondent. A conviction on any of the five counts meant removal from the bench.

On this count Senators Burnham, Penrose, Oliver, Paynter and Catron were the only members of the senate who voted to support Archbald. All the rest, including Root, Crane and Smoot, the senate representatives of the president who placed Archbald on the commerce court, were constrained by the force of the evidence to vote against him.

A difference of opinion as to the degree of culpability saved him from conviction on eight counts, but so profound was the belief of the senators in his fitness that they visited on him the severest penalty in their power, when, after a brief secret session, they fixed punishment by resolution.

The house prosecuting committee, led by Representatives Clayton of Alabama and Sterling of Illinois, whose energetic prosecution of the case resulted in the present humiliating conviction, sat without a change of expression through the afternoon.

Senator O'Gorman of New York when the last vote was taken moved that Judge Archbald be removed from the bench and forbidden ever to hold office of profit or honor under the government. Oliver of Pennsylvania, who, with his colleague, Penrose, had voted to support Archbald, a Pennsylvania man, moved that this resolution be divided. This motion prevailed. By viva voce vote and without dissent the senate decided that Archbald must be removed. A vote of 39 to 35 disqualified him from holding any future office.

Two British Airmen Perish. London, England, Jan. 15.—Two British airmen, L. F. MacDonald and a man named Ingils, were drowned in the Thames Monday. The aviators were flying at a height well above the river when the machine suddenly swooped downward. Immediately upon coming into contact with the water the engine exploded. One of the aviators clung for awhile to the top of the machine, but soon sank.

Chief of Army Signal Corps. Washington, Jan. 15.—President Taft sent to the senate Monday the nomination of Col. George P. Scriven of the United States army signal corps to be chief of the office, succeeding Brig. Gen. Jas. Allen, who retires.

Kills Mother Over Five Cents. Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 15.—Leroy Higgins, eleven years old, angered because he was refused five cents with which to buy candy, shot and killed his mother in the bedroom of their home at Monaca, near here, Monday.

American Dies in Mexico Battle. Mexico City, Jan. 15.—One American was killed in an attack by rebels on El Potrero, an American owned hacienda near Paso del Macho, in the state of Vera Cruz Monday. The attack lasted more than an hour.

ROYAL FAMILY OF THE NETHERLANDS



This is the only group photograph received in the United States of Wilhelmina, queen of the Netherlands, and her consort, Prince Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, to whom she was married in 1903, and their daughter, Juliana Wilhelmina, born April 30, 1909. The young princess of Orange, her official title, will succeed to the throne occupied by her mother, unless a son and heir to the reigning house is born.

TRUST QUIZ IS HALTED

G. BAKER DECLINES TO GIVE TESTIMONY REGARDING DEALS.

Financier Concludes His Testimony By Denying the Existence of a Money Combine.

Washington, Jan. 13.—While examining George F. Baker Friday the house money trust investigating committee struck a snag when it tried to trace the joint operation of Mr. Baker with J. P. Morgan in the handling of issues of securities by railroads and industrial corporations, as well as the joint interest of the two men in banks and trust companies in New York and throughout the country.

Mr. Undermyer asked Mr. Baker if he could supply a statement of the accounts by which the First National bank jointly with other institutions handled through syndicates issues of securities. The witness said his counsel had advised him that to demand this information was beyond the powers of the committee. The facts were not known in detail by the comptroller of the currency and he believed the committee had no right to demand them to be exposed to the public.

A statement of the deposits of the First National bank was placed on record. Mr. Baker said he believed the average deposits were about \$100,000,000. On November 1 the bank had 149 accounts with balances of \$29,676,387.44.

Mr. Baker, in concluding his testimony before the committee, denied the existence of a money trust, but admitted that the safety of the present financial situation depended on the personnel of a few men. He said he thought further combination would be dangerous. He regards Morgan as a great general.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES

London, Jan. 11.—Long sentences were passed on two of the militant suffragettes, many of whom in recent months have engaged in a campaign of destruction of the mails. May Hillinghurst and Louisa Gay, two of the first to be arrested in connection with these outrages, were brought up for trial at the Old Bailey and condemned to eight months imprisonment.

New York, Jan. 11.—Representatives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and the committee of managers from the eastern railroads agreed to ask Judge Martin A. Knapp of the United States commerce court and Commissioner of Labor Charles P. Neill to come to New York and do what they can toward settling the differences under the Erdman act between the men and their employers.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Congressional friends of her former White House days thronged the Congressional club Friday and greeted Mrs. Grover Cleveland at the reception given there by officers of the club in her honor.

STRIKERS IN BLOODY RIOTS

Garment Workers Clash With Non-Union Employees and Many Are Seriously Injured.

New York, Jan. 13.—Several clashes between strikers and strike-breakers, marked by bloodshed and many arrests, occurred in the strike of the garment workers Friday. Several thousand recruits were added to the number of the rioters.

More than a hundred strikers, non-union employees, detectives and policemen had a free-for-all fight early in the day in front of the factory of the Star Knee Pants company, in La Fayette street. Patrick Cartone, a union picket, was slashed with a razor and hit on the head with an iron bar, and a dozen of the combatants received minor injuries.

1,000 IN PERIL ON LINER

Steamer Uranium Goes Ashore in Fog Outside Halifax Harbor—Lifeboats Rescue Passengers.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 14.—The lives of nearly one thousand passengers were imperiled Sunday when the steamer Uranium, Captain Jack, bound from Rotterdam for Halifax, struck on the ledges a quarter of a mile north of Chebucto Head on the southeastern shore of Halifax harbor. Dense fog, with a stiff south wind, prevailed when the ship drove her bow on the rock. All of the passengers were taken off in safety.

File Bomb Men's Bond.

San Francisco, Jan. 11.—Ball bonds in the sum of \$240,000 for the release of Olaf Tveitmoose and Eugene Clancy, the convicted dynamite conspirators sentenced to six years in the federal prison at Leavenworth, was filed here on Thursday before the United States commissioner.

She Has Five Boys at a Birth. Abbeville, La., Jan. 14.—Five male children, all perfectly formed, were born to Mrs. Audrey Lassen, wife of a local carpenter Sunday. Two of the children were dead at birth, but the others lived for a short time.

Plot to Dynamite Premier. Victoria, B. C., Jan. 14.—Detectives were on guard at the home of Sir Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia Sunday, because of his receipt of an anonymous letter warning him of a plot to blow him up.

STIRS BUSINESS MEN

GOVERNOR WILSON APPEALS AND WARNS IN COMMERCIAL CLUB SPEECH.

SAYS MONOPOLY MUST END

Declares Public Good Must Be Put Above Private Aggrandizement—Uses Plain Words Regarding Recent Money Trust Revelations.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Speaking at a banquet given by the Commercial club of Chicago Saturday night, Woodrow Wilson, the president-elect, delivered an earnest appeal and warning to the business men of the country.

The business men of the country were told bluntly that the peaceable success of the new administration depended on their co-operation, and that without it the president would fight for victory. They also were told that no man who did not put the public good above private aggrandizement—be he politician, merchant, or personal friend—could have influence with or part in the administration.

Four lines of Mr. Wilson's coming endeavor were set forth. They may be summarized as follows:

The country must husband and administer, not exploit, its common resources for the common welfare, with the idea of conservation—not reservation.

The raw material of the country must be at the disposal of every one on equal terms, the government not determining the terms, but guaranteeing against discrimination.

Credit must be at the disposal of all on equal terms. In no other way can dangerous class prejudice be removed. The bankers must see it is done.

Every feature of monopoly must be removed.

Governor Wilson spoke with the utmost frankness about the recent revelations regarding the money trust.

"I am not indicting the banking methods," he said. "The banking system does not need to be indicted. It is already indicted. I have reason to believe from things which have been said under circles of credit, regions of chill; exclusion and regions of warm inclusion. This must be changed. Some of the men who 'run the game,' attempt to run it fairly, of course. But the country is not going to grow rich by the efforts of those men who are 'in' now, but by those who are 'out' now."

Mr. Wilson urged that all prejudice cease. He specified sectional prejudice and showed a hope that his election, that of a man of southern birth, would show that the southerner is not of different breed from the northerner. And then he pleaded for the efforts of the business men to dissolve the class prejudice.

Misses Train; Wins Fortune. Monte Carlo, Jan. 14.—Richard Landau, an English visitor here, missed a train Sunday. Returning to the casino, where he engaged himself at the roulette table, in a short time he had won \$28,000.

Newspaper Men Out of Jail. Boise, Idaho, Jan. 14.—R. S. Sheridan and C. O. Broxon, publisher and editor, respectively, of the Capital News, and R. A. Cruzen were released from jail here Sunday after having served ten days contempt sentences.

FLOOD LOSS \$1,000,000

PITTSBURG INUNDTATED BY OVERFLOW OF TWO RIVERS.

50,000 Men Are Made Idle When Factories Are Compelled to Shut Down.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 11.—When a crest of 31.3 feet was reported at the junction of the Monongahela and Allegheny rivers here Thursday, the fourth greatest flood in Pittsburg in the last forty-seven years was recorded. The water remained stationary for two hours, then began to fall slowly and had dropped to 29 1/2 feet at 6 o'clock in the evening.

The waters reached Penn avenue and Federal street in the downtown section of Pittsburg, and temporarily shut off business below that point, inundated hundreds of homes in the lower sections of the north side, west end and south side, flooded many of the mills lining the river banks, made approximately 50,000 men idle through manufacturing shutting down, and caused in the neighborhood of one million dollars' loss through property damage.

Stories of privation and suffering come from both up and down the rivers, where thousands of homes have been flooded and relief is being sent from every quarter.

Only three greater floods have occurred in Pittsburg in the last forty-seven years, or since 1865, and in 107 years that records have been kept there have been only ten more serious inundations.

THREE DEAD; 13 HURT IN FIRE

Firemen Confident Many Lost Their Lives of Whom No Trace Will Ever Be Found.

San Francisco, Jan. 11.—Three known dead and thirteen more or less seriously injured, some of them fatal, completes the list of known casualties in a lodging house fire, which swept nearly a block of territory lying on the north side of Howard street between East and Stewart streets here Thursday.

The buildings destroyed were the Maritime and San Pedro lodging houses, both flimsy two-story frame structures, given over to the trade of the men of the sea.

Three narrow exits from the two buildings were the only means of escape the lodgers had from the blazing boxes of death and the army of firemen searching in the ruins for bodies are confident many lost their lives of whom no trace will ever be found.

Wireless Men in Prison.

New York, Jan. 13.—The three men found guilty of a million dollar wire swindle were sentenced here Friday to the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga.

German Balloon Drops in England. London, Jan. 13.—A German balloon marked "Station Friedrichsafen" was plucked on the coast of Suffolk Friday. There was nothing in the basket of the balloon except instruments and a coil of wire.

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