

CONVICTS MAKE A BREAK

Federal Prisoners Overpower Guards and 26 Escape.

ONE MAN KILLED, FIVE WOUNDED

Mutiny Occurs at the New Prison Near Leavenworth—Fugitives Separate in Small Parties—Hold Up Farmers and Create Reign of Terror.

Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 8.—One man was killed, five others dangerously wounded and 26 desperate convicts are at large as the result of a mutiny late yesterday afternoon at the site of the new United States prison, two miles southeast of here, where 400 prisoners from the federal prison, in charge of 30 armed guards, were at work.

When the trouble began the rebellious prisoners had only two revolvers. These had been secreted in one of the walls of the building by some unknown person. There are two walls partly completed. The remainder of the site of the building is surrounded by a high wooden stockade. Gus Parker of Ardmore, I. T., one of the ringleaders of the mutiny, under pretense of a necessity, walked to the corner of the stockade, where the two revolvers were concealed and under cover of some weeds secured them without being detected. He returned to the gang and passed one of the revolvers to Frank Williams, a negro, who secreted it about his person. When T. E. Hinds, superintendent of construction, and three unarmed guards prepared to round-up the men at the end of the day's work, the two armed convicts covered them with the revolvers and encouraged by the other convicts forced the men to walk before them toward the northwest corner of the stockade, where they expected to make a rush through an opening. The outside of the stockade was guarded by armed men, and when the convicts appeared at the opening they were met by C. E. Burrows, a guard, who fought them back, but who received two shots in the neck. The convicts then rushed over to the south wall to another opening and were met by Arthur Trelford, an armed guard, who is in charge of all the convicts. Trelford resisted the convicts and was shot twice, but not dangerously wounded. Defeated in their attempt to escape at this point, the men rushed to the guard house, a temporary frame structure, where the arms are kept. The guards from the outside rushed in at this point and drove the men back from the guard house. J. P. Waldrup, a guard, shot and killed Ford Quinn, from Ryan, I. T. The prisoners then made a grand rush for the main entrance and 26 of them succeeded in escaping. Most of the escaped men are from the Indian territory. Closely followed by the guards the men ran to a nearby forest and succeeded in evading their pursuers.

The men went in the direction of Easton, Kan., and it is reported here that they have held up many farmers, taking horses and clothes en route.

Superintendent is Abducted. The convicts in their flight compelled Superintendent Hinds to go with them and he was not allowed to return until he had gone almost two miles. W. F. Peaslee, one of the fugitives, who has only 15 months more to serve, deserted the band a few moments after Superintendent Hinds was released. The two men reached here almost the same time. They reported that the fugitives, after holding a consultation, decided that they would form themselves into several small parties, so that some might escape, though others should be captured. It is the intention of all to attempt to reach the rough country southeast of here.

Troops Arrive Too Late. Twenty-four members of the Fourth cavalry hastened to the scene of the trouble, but when they arrived the convicts had escaped and the soldiers could not participate in the chase without orders from their superior. Forty armed guards from the federal prison are in pursuit of the fugitives. The wounded men are in the prison hospital. J. B. Waldrup was shot in the head and in the neck and is in a precarious condition. C. E. Burrows was shot twice in the neck, receiving serious wounds. Arthur Trelford was shot in the leg, but his wound is slight. Andrew Leonard, a guard, is in the hospital with a broken leg. He was hurt as the prisoners were escaping through the main entrance of the stockade. One of the fugitives, named Otter, was shot, but he was able to go with the others, and the extent of his injuries is unknown.

Charged With Setting Disastrous Fire. Brainerd, Minn., Nov. 8.—Peter Anderson of Morrison county was arrested yesterday by Sheriff Tanner, charged with setting the fire which caused such havoc in Morrison and Crow Wing counties about two weeks ago. Anderson owned a farm in the section recently burned over and failing to obtain his price for some straw he wished to dispose of, it is charged, set fire to it with the result that many farms were devastated and thousands of dollars' worth of hay and grain were destroyed.

Stricken Very Suddenly. Des Moines, Nov. 8.—Theodore F. Gatchell, aged 56 years, secretary and general manager of the Des Moines Fire Insurance company and vice president of the Merchants' and Bankers' Insurance company, dropped dead last night. He came to Des Moines in 1881 and has been prominently identified with the business interests of the city since that time.

SAVE PESTHOUSE PATIENTS.

Des Moines Firemen Exposed to Contagion in Fighting Flames.

Des Moines, Nov. 8.—Fire in a small-pox hospital in this city yesterday caused a remarkable scene and exposed some of the patients to danger from the severe weather. The fire was first discovered in the roof of the hospital and was seen by a doctor who was lecturing to a class of students in another hospital nearby. Both hospitals are on Fourth street, in the north part of the city. The alarm was given quickly, but the fire burned off the roof and injured most of the upper story of the hospital. The firemen rushed into the building as if there was not a particle of danger from the contagion and did their best to save everything.

When the firemen broke in the door of the hall they found the 14 small-pox patients huddled in the hall, not knowing which way to turn. They rushed past the firemen into the yard and covered themselves with such articles of clothing as they had gathered from the rooms as they went out. They went in a bunch to the yard of a small church nearby, but later were gathered into tents in the yard of the hospital and were provided with some comforts. The crowd that gathered about the small-pox hospital by the fire scattered quickly when the patients came out into the streets.

INJURED ARE STILL ALIVE.

Recovery of Three Victims of Hurley Theater Fire is Uncertain.

Hurley, Wis., Nov. 8.—All the injured in the Klondike theater fire, which caused the death of ten people, are still alive. Those who jumped from the windows were taken to a hospital at Ironwood, Mich. Jennie Bender, who was badly burned and injured about the head, is delirious most of the time. Laura Russell is unconscious and her recovery is still in doubt. Annie Scott, an actress, is also at the hospital and badly bruised and burned. William McLaughlin is so badly burned and bruised that his recovery is uncertain.

When Ella Hess jumped from the second story window she grasped an electric light wire, and although it retarded her fall, her hands were terribly burned.

Louis Seligman, the trainer of Genert Benert, the pugilist, who perished in the flames, was badly burned, but will recover. Only two of the seven bodies taken from the ruins have been identified. Tim Ryan, a comedian, who lived in Ironwood, and Clara Bonne, the only woman victim.

MISS STONE NOT YET FREE.

Negotiations Temporarily Suspended From Bulgarian Side.

Constantinople, Nov. 8.—No progress was reported in connection with the rescue of Miss Stone. On the contrary it appears that the negotiations have been temporarily suspended from the Bulgarian side. An effort will be made to resume them through Salonica.

Yesterday Mr. Dickinson dispatched a messenger with a reply to the brigands' proposals as formulated in Miss Stone's letter. It is understood that an agreement as to the amount of the ransom has been virtually established. The settlement as to the manner and place of payment and the surrender of the captives presents the most difficulty, but an entente is expected soon. The brigands are not willing to cross into Turkey to get the money, while the Bulgarian government would oppose releasing Miss Stone on Bulgarian soil.

CARPENTERS' FUNDS MISSING.

Secretary-Treasurer McGuire Fails to Account for \$10,000.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—The North American says: It is officially announced that P. J. McGuire, suspended general secretary-treasurer of the Brotherhood of Carpenters, is short in his accounts \$10,074. A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Mr. McGuire. The general executive board of the Brotherhood of Carpenters has also preferred specific charges of breach of trust against its old secretary-treasurer.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

Alexander Ford, white, and two colored men were killed by a boiler explosion at Clayton, La.

Secretary Long has finished his annual report, which will recommend the concentration of navy yards.

Giles Emfinger, a young white man, was assassinated about two miles from Tallasse, Ala., while walking along the road.

The Guatemalan delegate to the pan-American congress proposed an international court of claims to settle interstate controversies.

The commissioner of pensions made his annual report. A big percentage of the soldiers in the Spanish-American war have applied for pensions.

W. W. Rockhill held a conference with the assistant secretary of the treasury to make arrangements for collecting the Chinese indemnity.

Mrs. Julius Yankee was burned to death and her husband seriously injured in a fire which badly damaged their home at Chicago Thursday.

Grant Householder, a hackman, was arrested at Buffalo, charged with smuggling Chinamen from Canada. Householder had four Chinamen in his hack when arrested.

President Roosevelt informed Senator T. C. Platt that if Appraiser Wakeman is removed as appraiser at New York Collector Bidwell, the senator's protege, must also go.

The Rev. S. C. Swallow of Harrisburg, Pa., once candidate for president, was unfrocked by a jury of Methodist ministers for lying. The trouble grew out of an attack on President McKinley while he was dying.

SCHLEY INQUIRY AT AN END

Captain Lemly Makes the Concluding Argument.

HOLDS CHARGES ARE PROVEN.

Judge Advocate Pays Tribute to Admiral's Bravery, but Claims He Exhibited Unsteadiness of Purpose and Failed to Obey Orders.

Washington, Nov. 8.—After sittings covering 40 days, and with a record which, when completed, will cover about 2,000 pages, the Schley court of inquiry yesterday at 3:45 p. m. adjourned its public session. To Captain S. C. Lemly, the judge advocate, had been assigned the duty of making the closing argument in the case and soon after he had completed his speech, Admiral Dewey, bringing his gavel down upon the big flat table, said: "There being no further business, the court is adjourned."

As was the case when Mr. Rayner spoke, the attendance was large. There was only one session during the day. It began at 2 o'clock and the entire time was devoted to Captain Lemly's address. He read his speech in clear and distinct tones and was given careful attention. The speech in the main was an analysis of the testimony, but occasionally a conclusion was drawn and frequently there was criticism of the course pursued by Admiral (then commodore) Schley. Speaking of Commodore Schley's conduct, Captain Lemly said:

"From my knowledge of the man, having served under his command on two cruises, I have never believed nor do I claim from the evidence that personal misconduct—or to call a spade a spade, cowardice—was exhibited by Commodore Schley in any part of his career as commander-in-chief of the flying squadron. But I submit with regret that in the passage from Key West to Cienfuegos, while at the latter port, en route to the southward of Santiago without settled destination, in the retrograde movement, in the return to the vicinity of Santiago and in the affair of May 31, the commodore exhibited unsteadiness in purpose and push and failure to obey orders."

This statement was made toward the close of Captain Lemly's remarks. After adjournment the members of the court, Admiral Schley and counsel lingered for a time about the hall in which they recently have spent so much of their time and there were many affectionate words of farewell spoken. Admiral Schley, as usual, was called upon to receive the greetings of a number of admirers and a hundred or more people waited at the door of the building to bid him adieu.

The court declined to grant the request made by Attorney Theall, acting for Admiral Sampson, that the remarks of Captain Parker concerning the fact that the Spanish cruiser Colon lay in the harbor at Santiago for some hours after the arrival there of Admiral Sampson, be stricken from the record. Admiral Dewey, writing for the court, says that this action has been taken after careful consideration.

MACCABEES' TREASURER SHORT.

Confesses That Funds of the Order to Extent of \$57,000 Are Missing.

Port Huron, Mich., Nov. 8.—By his own written confession Charles D. Thompson, supreme finance keeper of the supreme tent, Knights of the Maccabees, and a prominent vessel and tug man of this city, is a defaulter in the sum of \$57,000. Mr. Thompson, however, is heavily bonded in the National Surety company of New York and the Fidelity and Deposit company of Boston, and the order is therefore protected from loss. Thompson made no effort to escape after his defalcation was discovered. He is now at his home awaiting the action of the bonding companies.

Alleged Counterfeiter Arrested.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 8.—Secret service operatives sent here a month ago by Chief Wilkie in Washington yesterday arrested J. M. Lemon, a local photographer, and captured a large number of photographic plates bearing imprints of \$5 silver certificates and \$10 national bank notes, and also a large number of unfinished bills. It is alleged Lemon is implicated in floating bogus \$5 silver certificates which made their appearance a year ago in northern cities.

Whisky Kills Child.

Iola, Kan., Nov. 8.—The 5-year-old son of Elijah Barber, an employe at the cement plant, died from the effects of drinking a half pint of whisky obtained by the father at a local "joint," or illicit saloon. The boy drained the flask while his parents were away and when found was in a stupor, from which the physicians could not rouse him.

Jenkins Wins Championship.

Cleveland, Nov. 8.—Tom Jenkins last night won the catch-as-catch-can championship of the world in Central armory here in the presence of 6,000 enthusiastic spectators, when he defeated Dan McLeod, an opponent who gave him the severest struggle of his wrestling career. Jenkins weighed 180 pounds and McLeod about 170.

Dunn Given Life Sentence.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Nov. 8.—Charles Dunn was yesterday found guilty of murder in the first degree and sentence to the penitentiary for life for the murder of 19-year-old Alice Cotrell, whose body was fished from a cistern beneath Dunn's kitchen at Walken, this county, July 7 last. Dunn is 61 years old.

NEW YORK CROWDS.

The Different Ways in Which They Impressed Two Men.

"What I like about New York," remarked a westerner, "is its tremendous energy. The crowds and bustle have upon me the exhilarating effect of a stimulant. As I move along among the masses on the sidewalks and look upon the perpetual stream of vehicles of all descriptions in the streets I am conscious of a buoyancy of spirit and an increased physical energy."

"I feel like going all the time, my mind is brighter and clearer, and, in fact, my whole being seems toned up. New York and its crowds are more beneficial to me than any resort I have ever struck. After a two weeks' stay here I return home feeling like another man."

"Well, that is strange," said the person to whom this statement was made. "Do you know New York has upon me just exactly the opposite effect. To me what I might term the surplussage of life here is depressing. I am by no means fond of solitude. I have lived in a moderate sized city all my life, and it bores me to stay in the country for any great length of time, but when I come to New York and am caught in the tides of humanity, see the overcrowded tenements and have my ears assaulted with the perpetual din of the streets I become positively melancholy."

"I feel what an insignificant atom I am, after all—no more than a drop of water in a great river—and the feeling oppresses me. It seems so like there was nobody here who cared what became of anybody. The only relief I find from the feeling is in the theaters. I go to a show every night while I am here, and of course I enjoy that immensely. But as soon as I have made the rounds of the shows I am ready to return home, where I know most everybody and there are many who care."

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In most European railways the principal difference between second class and first class lies in the color of the seat cushions, first class being usually red, second class gray.

The average cost of the body of a modern long electric car is \$2,000, the average price of a set of double trucks for such a car is \$600, and the average cost of the motor is \$1,500, making the total cost of the car \$4,100.

Some of the Austrian railways have followed the German custom of selling numbered seats in the cars of fast trains, both first and second class. An extra charge of from about 25 to 50 cents is made for these seats, according to distance.

The other day, just as a train was about to leave Karas, in Hungary, for Palfava, an official appeared and put seals on the wheels of the engine. The passengers had to get off and walk. The company was 200 crowns in arrears in payment of taxes. Next day the taxes were paid, and the train proceeded.

Why His Clock Was Slow.

There is an Italian fruit dealer, with a well stocked store near one of the suburban railway stations, who has adopted a unique device, and one which shows a deep knowledge of human nature, to hold his own in competition with another dealer, whose stand is some fifty yards nearer the station than his own. A commuter was leisurely peeling a banana in his store the other day when the Italian remarked: "You gotta be' minute before your train."

Insect Plagues.

The insect plagues of summer are no matter of jest. Man must strive with them as he strives against the other hostile forces of nature. He must fight the Hessian fly or the wheat crop will not be garnered, he must fight the weevil or the grain will perish in the bins, he must fight the army worm or the cattle will starve in the pastures, he must fight the tent caterpillar and the borer or his forests will wither and the streams disappear. The entomologist, therefore, wages the war of civilization against forces all the more terrible because of their minuteness and apparent insignificance.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

He Liked It.

Wife—How do you like my new hat? Husband—The idea of paying big prices for—

Wife—Big prices! Why, I made it myself.

Husband—Um—yes—er—as I was saying, the idea of paying big prices for such monstrosities as the milliners are showing! Now, your hat is a work of art. Looks as if it came from Paris Beautiful, my dear!—New York Weekly.

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