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MRS. WILL MANSFIELD TOOK ACID; IS DYING

PROMINENT WISNER WOMAN A POISON VICTIM.

WIFE OF PROMINENT STOCKMAN

At 9 o'clock this morning Mrs. Will Mansfield, near Wisner, took carbolic acid—mother of two children. Not expected to live.

Wisner, Neb., Aug. 28.—Special The News: Mrs. Will Mansfield, wife of a prominent stockman living on a farm near here, took carbolic acid at 9 o'clock this morning and is very low. It is not known whether it was accidental or not. She is the mother of two children and her own mother from Michigan is visiting here. She is about thirty-eight years old.

REDUCTION IN STOCK RATES.

Interstate Commission Orders Lowering of Five Cents Per Hundred.

Washington, Aug. 28.—A sweeping reduction of from 1/2 to 5 cents per 100 pounds on range cattle shipments to be carried into effect by Oct. 15, is effected in an order issued by the interstate commerce commission in the case of the Raisers' Association of Texas against the Missouri, Kansas and Texas and fifty-eight other common carriers. The reduction carries out the commission's condemnation last spring of the advances in rates.

The rates ordered cut are on range cattle from points in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma to northern ranges in Wyoming, Nebraska, South Dakota and Montana and on cattle in carloads from the southwest to Chicago, St. Louis, St. Joseph, Kansas City, New Orleans and Omaha.

Tanners Form National Association. Chicago, Aug. 28.—One hundred representative tanners from various cities met at the Coliseum, where the national shoe and leather fair is in progress, to form a national association of tanners. The following officers were elected: President, August H. Vogel of Milwaukee; treasurer, J. D. Nielson of Cincinnati; secretary, John E. Wilder of Chicago.

MARTIN BACK FROM DENVER

Hadley Compliments Nebraska Judiciary on Its Work.

Lincoln, Aug. 28.—Grant Martin, assistant attorney general, has returned from a meeting of attorneys general at Denver, at which he was a speaker. Mr. Martin told the attorneys general that Nebraska was the only state where all the reform measures passed by the recent legislature were being strictly enforced. This was a revelation, even to Attorney General Hadley of Missouri, who has a reputation of being a trust buster, and he complimented the Nebraska judiciary on its work.

Mr. Martin said there was a general agreement that the law against passes had been a blessing, because judges are no longer subservient to railroads.

GOES IN SEARCH OF SOULMATE.

Artist Earle Released on Bail on Charge of Beating Wife.

Goshen, N. Y., Aug. 28.—After spending two sleepless nights in the jail here on a charge of beating his wife, Ferdinand Pinney Earle, of "at finity" and "soulmate" fame, was released upon furnishing \$2,000 bail.

Immediately on leaving the jail he began a search for his wife, Mrs. Julia Kuttner Earle, whom he married after inducing his first wife to go to France and get a divorce from him. As he stepped from the jail Earle said: "I am going to find my wife, no matter where she is. I know that if I can talk with her for ten minutes she will forgive me and everything will be all right again. This whole trouble has been twisted and I have been misrepresented."

Then Earle hired an automobile, went to his home at Monroe and put on fresh clothing, remarking to the chauffeur that he wanted to look presentable when he found his wife. Afterward he drove to Tuxedo to catch a train for New York. Earle said he did not know where his wife was stopping, but believed she was with her mother. He said the two days in jail had unsettled his nerves.

Buffalo Bill in Omaha. Omaha, Aug. 28.—William F. Cody, known better to Nebraskans as "Buffalo Bill," is in the city with his wild west show for two exhibitions today. Colonel Cody still looks like a comparatively young man in his frontier costume and riding his prancing sorrel horse. He has in the past few years visited nearly every European capital, and has been received by several European rulers.

North Platte Wants New Court House. North Platte, Neb., Aug. 28.—Action looking to the construction of a new court house, to cost \$100,000, is being taken, because the old structure is no longer of sufficient size to care for the business of the county offices and courts. A veto on the proposition has come from Sutherland, where the citizens claim the expense is needless.

Five Fined for Illegal Fishing. Columbus, Neb., Aug. 28.—The school fund was increased \$45 by fines imposed on five young men caught by Deputy Game Warden Dan Bray with fish nets in their possession. They told the court they had pulled the nets out of Blazer's pond, but the court declined to believe their story, and levied a fine of \$5 and costs to each of them.

Sherman Addresses Veterans. Utica, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Congressman James S. Sherman addressed the veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Oneida organization, which is meeting here. He spoke solely along patriotic lines and emphasized the important part taken in the up-building of the country by the soldiers of the civil war.

51 MEMBERS OF CREW GO DOWN WITH SHIP

SEAMEN ARE CAUGHT IN CHINESE TYPHOON.

San Francisco, Aug. 28.—Merchants Exchange cables today say that fifty-one members of the crew of the British ship Bunceairn, drowned in a typhoon off Porto-Catu, China.

The ship was swamped and sunk. The engineer and two sailors arrived at Catu in a small boat and reported the disaster which was so sudden that it caught all below. The ship was enroute to Saigon. These survivors were rescued by a Japanese steamer

TRYING TO SOLVE ROLLING CHAIR MYSTERY

MASKED MEN STOPPED CHAIR AND FIRED AT RIDERS.

Baltimore, Aug. 28.—W. S. C. Williams, husband of the woman alleged to have been with C. B. Roberts, victim of the rolling chair mystery at Atlantic City, today declared emphatically that his wife was not in Atlantic City at the time of the shooting.

Local police are aiding the Atlantic City authorities to solve the mystery. Charles Wilcox, a personal friend of Roberts, today explained the story as it was related to him by Mrs. Williams.

The story is that masked men halted the chair and shoved a revolver out. The woman, thinking they wanted money, handed out her purse which the men waved aside.

One man ordered Roberts out of the chair. Roberts got up to obey when a man fired. Mrs. Williams screamed and the men disappeared.

Jackson, the negro chair roller, ran and later declined to talk. Roberts' condition this afternoon is reported serious.

Officers are preparing to get an ante-mortem statement at the first indication of his sinking.

Iowa Regiment to Attend Maneuvers. Council Bluffs, Ia., Aug. 28.—Twenty-two tourist cars have been reserved to carry the Fifty-second Iowa regiment to the maneuvers at Fort Riley, Kansas, where the regiment will have its annual field practice. Baggage cars are furnished for the equipment and the men will have tourist sleepers for their accommodation.

REVOLUTION SPREADS IN PERIA

ALL TRIBES IN KURDESTAN HAVE RAISED BANNER OF REVOLT.

Teheran, Aug. 28.—The latest news that has drifted here by courier confirms the report that the revolution is in full swing in the western and southern parts of Persia. All the tribes in Persian Kurdistan have raised the banner of revolt, under the leadership of the constitutionalists, and demand the immediate convocation of a parliament, otherwise they threaten to declare for independence.

The government officers are falling into the hands of the insurgents everywhere and a large number of soldiers have been killed.

The governor of Sudehleh has fled with a small remnant of loyal troops, the remainder of the troops having joined the insurgents. The governor's residence was pillaged and burned. The uprising in the provinces of Laristan and Kerman, reports of which were received here a few days ago, is rapidly gaining ground. The city of Kerman is entirely in the hands of the revolutionists. The government officials having either fled or submitted. The vice governor has been killed. The seizure of the city was preceded by a bloody battle. The insurgent leaders, who include Kazim Khan, have organized a temporary government and declared their intention to ignore the central government until the parliament shall have been convoked. The sultan lacks the necessary troops for the suppression of the revolts in the different provinces.

MANY PEOPLE PERISH IN NEW MEXICO FLOOD

ELEVEN ARE KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN DROWNED.

MANY HOUSES ARE SWEEP AWAY

A Cloudburst at Folsom, New Mexico, Has Carried Away Homes and It is Feared That a Number of People Lost Their Lives.

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 28.—Eleven are known to be dead and many are reported to have perished or been injured in a cloudburst inundating Folsom, New Mexico, today.

Many houses were swept away. Vague reports say that every house was damaged. Many people are reported to have been living in the canyon through which the floods swept and it is believed they are lost. Searching parties have been formed.

New Boston American Manager.

Boston, Aug. 28.—Manager Jim Maguire of the Boston American club resigned the leadership of the club today at the request of President John L. Taylor. Fred Lake, owner of the Lowell and Lynn clubs, will be Maguire's successor.

FLOODS RECEDING IN THE SOUTHLAND

NUMBER OF DEAD HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED.

FIFTEEN NEGROES IN ONE TOWN

ies to Fifteen Lives Lost, Mostly Negro Laborers—Missing Families Are Being Reported—Railroads Are Accepting No Passengers.

Augusta, Ga., Aug. 28.—Flood waters began receding here. They reached the height of forty feet. Rain has ceased in the upper valley and there is no danger of further losses. The loss approximates \$1,000,000, and consists of damage to stocks of goods and private property, destruction of bridges and breaks in the canal banks.

While the flood was at its height five fires broke out. The McDaniel builders' material establishment, in North Augusta, burned. A train of forty cars, belonging to the Southern railway, burned in Hamburg, just across the river. Nixon's lime and cement house and a huge quantity of lumber at the Gary yards were burned.

No power plant is in operation, the telephone lines are not doing business; the railroads are accepting no passengers. The water service is crippled, but intact. There have been ten to fifteen drownings, mostly negro laborers.

From the northwestern section of the city the water will not recede for two or three days. Missing families are being reported.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 28.—The floods are receding here. The number of dead has not been determined but is believed to be less than reported. Rains have ceased in the upper Savannah valley. The Augusta river is falling.

The number of dead at Augusta is about fifteen, most of whom are negroes.

The loss of property at Augusta is estimated at \$1,000,000.

New York Brokerage Firm Fails.

New York, Aug. 28.—The suspension of the firm of W. S. Davis was announced on the consolidated stock exchange this morning. The failure is important. The firm has twenty-four hours to settle claims.

Valentine Wins a Game.

Valentine, Neb., Aug. 28.—Special to The News: Before a large crowd Valentine trimmed the Denison (Ia.) ball team, allowing them but one run, the score being 8 to 1. Batteries: Caylor and Chapman; Denison, Fall and Ballard. Struck out by Fall 3, Caylor 7.

The Valentine girls' basket ball team went down to defeat before the Atkinson team, 12 to 6. The contest was fast and enjoyed by a large crowd.

LAND NOT WEARING OUT.

Secretary Wilson Says Productivity is Larger Than Ten Years Ago.

Des Moines, Aug. 28.—Secretary of Agriculture Wilson declared that after forty years of investigation the department of agriculture was ready to say that American land is not wearing out. On the contrary, he said, at the Iowa state fair, that its productivity on the whole was larger today than ten years ago. The department has just ended an exhaustive investigation on his subject, and Secretary Wilson regards the evidence as conclusive.

THE LONG PINE CONFERENCE.

Bishop McIntyre, Famous Speaker, is Presiding.

Long Pine, Neb., Aug. 28.—Special to The News: The northwestern Nebraska conference of the Methodist church opened yesterday, Bishop McIntyre presiding. He gave his famous lecture, "Buttoned Up People," and to say it was grand would not be saying enough. The word picture of the Chicago fire was so vivid one seemed to be in the very midst of the awful flames. Dr. Elliott lectured last night on "Home Missions."

Farmers Capture Murderer.

Sturgis, S. D., Aug. 28.—Charles Hayes, alias William Dunn, who was wanted for murder near Spearfish, was captured near Belle Fourche river, northeast of Sturgis, by four farmers—John Smith, Albert Thein, P. J. Enks, and D. H. Collins. When seen first he was catching grasshoppers for bait. He showed no resistance. He had a revolver. He was brought to the Meade county jail. He claims he was driven to the crime.

TAFT IS OFF ON A FISHING TRIP

SOON TO ESTABLISH HIMSELF IN CINCINNATI HOTEL.

WRITER WANTS A COON DOG

Judge Taft Informed Where Coon Dog Can Be Purchased and Told of Loyal Literary Supporter Who Wants One.

Hot Springs, Va., Aug. 28.—Judge Taft leaves at 6:20 tonight for Middle Island near Put-In-Bay. His wife and son, together with his secretary and stenographers, will go to Cincinnati.

Taft to Call Hotel "Home." Taft will practically live at the Hilton hotel in Cincinnati during the few weeks following his return from his present fishing trip.

Wants Coon Dog. A letter was received from Harry L. Given of Newville, W. Va., today, urging Judge Taft to make the writer a present of a coon dog and explaining where one could be bought. The letter declared that the author was "working himself hard for Taft." The writer's picture was enclosed.

WITHOUT BAIL HAINSES HELD TO GRAND JURY

PRINCIPALS IN ANNIS MURDER BOUND OVER.

New York, Aug. 28.—The Hains brothers, Captain Peter C. Hains and T. J. Hains, were bound over to the grand jury today without bail by Magistrate Gilroy in the Long Island City police court on the charge of the murder of W. E. Annis.

The most startling evidence brought out at the hearing was the testimony of Charles S. Roberts that immediately following the shooting T. Jenkins Hains said that he was sorry that the captain shot Annis, that he had tried to dissuade the captain from the act and that he had only consented to accompany his brother when he found that it was impossible to deter him.

T. Jenkins told Roberts, according to the witness, that he had threatened to shoot anyone interfering with his brother in order to prevent further bloodshed.

Captain Hains was attired in civilian clothes. He sat with his head resting on his hand, looking with a vacant almost meaningless stare. He was pale and excited.

The captain's brother, T. Jenkins, was keenly alert. He frequently talked with the attorneys.

Roberts, Charles Baker, the officer making the arrest, Dr. Frye, the coroner and physician, were the only witnesses.

General Hains, the father of the prisoner, was present.

Witness in Hains Case.

New York, Aug. 28.—The clue to the mysterious witness, who had reported himself ready to testify as to having heard William E. Annis boast of his conquest of Mrs. Peter C. Hains, wife of Captain Hains, was revealed after a conference between Hains and the lawyers detained to defend his two sons, Captain Peter Conover Hains, Jr., and Thornton Jenkins Hains, now awaiting trial on a charge of murdering Annis on Aug. 15. He is C. A. Curtis of Washington.

Black Hawk Pioneers Meet

Iowa Falls, Ia., Aug. 28.—Five hundred attended the annual gathering of the Old Settlers' association of Black Hawk county, and it was the most successful ever held. One of the features of the gathering was brief speeches by the venerable men and women who came to the county fifty years ago. The secretary reported 109 deaths of Black Hawk county pioneers during the past year.

SPRINGFIELD MUST PAY FOR LYNCHINGS

WIFE OF FIRST NEGRO LYNCHED SUES FOR \$5,000.

PROPERTY OWNERS BRING SUITS

Under a State Law Which Allows \$5,000 for Mob Victims, Wife of Scott Burton Sues Springfield. Other Suits to Follow.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 28.—Mrs. Scott Burton, the wife of the first negro lynched in the recent riots, has not attempted to settle with the city for her husband's death but today filed suit against the city for \$5,000, which the law allows survivors of persons whom mobs attack.

The heirs of William Donegan, another negro lynched, will also sue the city.

The heirs of the other four negroes who were killed during the rioting cannot obtain damages because the victims were killed by stray bullets or in a battle with the mob.

Property Owners Sue. Property owners continue to file suits for damages against the city. These suits now aggregate \$50,000.

NEW RULES FOR LAWYERS

AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION ADOPT REVISED ETHICS.

DUTY TO PREVENT LITIGATION

Political Considerations Should Not Outweigh Judicial Fitness in Selection of Judges—Reports of Special Committees Considered.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 28.—The members of the American bar association continued their consideration of committee reports and heard the report of the special committee on the classification of laws, on Indian legislation, on penal laws and prison discipline, federal courts, title of real estate, code of professional ethics, copy-right bill and proposed lawyers' home.

In presenting its code of ethics for the lawyers of the American bar, the committee told the convention in clear and forceful language that it is the duty of the lawyer to prevent litigation, to make peace between those inclined to litigation and to diligently discourage among the laity the prevalent growth of disrespect for the courts. At the same time, the report continues, where there is proper ground for serious complaint of a judicial officer it is incumbent upon the lawyer to submit his grievances to the proper authorities.

Under the new code it is made the duty of lawyers to prevent political considerations outweighing judicial fitness in the selection of judges and aspirants for judicial honor are directed to be governed by an impartial estimate of their ability. The practice of arguing privately with a judge as to the merits of pending cases is made a cause for judicial rebuke.

A lawyer must not acquire an interest by purchase or otherwise in the subject matter of litigation he is conducting and he shall at all times consider his profession a branch of the administration of justice and fix his fees accordingly, not overestimate them or undervalue them. Suits against clients for fees are permissible only to prevent deliberate frauds.

Ill feeling and personalities between counsel, bully-raging witnesses and newspaper notices of pending litigation are marked as unprofessional. Fawning and flattering juries or jurors is in decided bad taste, and is entirely reprehensible, says the new code.

Buckstaff Receives Rebuff. Lincoln, Aug. 28.—A. H. Buckstaff, manager of a bathing resort, has received a rebuff at the hands of the county commissioners, to whom he presented a bill for \$24 for the use of boats during the recent floods.

Buckstaff was heralded as a real hero and was given credit for having saved the lives of many persons who were threatened by the flood. The county commissioners have placed the value of \$1,000 on the advertising Buckstaff received for his resort as a result of the flood and have held up payment.

To War on White Plague.

Lincoln, Aug. 28.—An organization known as the Eaton Laboratory for the Prevention of Tuberculosis in Children has been formed at the instance of H. M. Eaton, commissioner of public lands and buildings. Eaton has devoted much time to the subject of tuberculosis for several years. The principal objects sought by the new organization is to make a search of the records of tuberculosis among children in Nebraska in recent years and to locate children suffering with the disease.

THE CONDITION OF THE WEATHER

Temperature for Twenty-four Hours. Forecast for Nebraska.

Condition of the weather as recorded for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m. today.

Maximum	84
Minimum	54
Average	69
Barometer	29.70
Rainfall	.03

Chicago, Aug. 28.—The bulletin issued by the Chicago station of the United States weather bureau gives the forecast for Nebraska as follows:

Partly cloudy and possibly local showers tonight or Saturday. Warmer northwestern portion tonight.

A BILLION AND A HALF IN 3 YEARS ON NAVIES

ENGLAND HAS SPENT MOST, UNITED STATES NEXT.

London, Aug. 28.—During the last three years \$1,431,070,989 has been expended upon the navies of America, England, France, Russia, Germany, Italy and Japan, according to an estimate published here today.

British America and England lead with \$176,055,435. The United States is second with \$341,310,749.

LITTLE BOY DROWNS IN WATER BARREL

CHILD FALLS INTO BARREL NEAR HOME.

Valentine, Neb., Aug. 28.—Special to The News: The two-year-old baby boy of John Omesher, a farmer living twelve miles south west of here, was drowned about noon by falling into a water barrel which was sunk level with the ground beneath a spring. The little fellow had wandered away from the house and was gone but a short time when he was missed and a search made for him. His body was found in the water barrel but life had already departed.

LIC DOWN BY MARTIAL LAW.

This Is Governor Fort's Proposed Remedy for Atlantic City.

Seagirt, N. J., Aug. 28.—In a startling public proclamation issued from the summer capitol, Governor Fort declares that unless the excise law is observed in Atlantic City, which he calls a "Satanalia of vice," next Sunday and all saloons and cafes closed tightly, he will call an extraordinary session of the legislature and may send the New Jersey state troops to the famous resort, declaring the city to be under martial law.

Another sensation was sprung at May's Landing, the county seat of Atlantic county, when the grand jury absolutely refused to obey the instructions of the court to return indictments against excise violators. Justice Trenchard, who had been requested by Governor Fort to sit with the county judge, was so incensed at the action of the grand jury that he instantly discharged it with a severe reprimand.

PLAN INVASION OF SOLID SOUTH

WILL TRY TO CARRY CLOSE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.

New York, Aug. 28.—Some of the plans the Republican politicians in the south are making to increase the Republican representation in congress from their states were made known to Chairman Hitchcock by visitors from Virginia, Alabama and Louisiana. The plan for "the invasion of the south" was outlined by Mr. Taft, the Republican candidate for president, in recent speeches and interviews in Hot Springs, Va. He expressed the opinion that the Republican national campaign managers ought to try to carry close districts and Mr. Hitchcock concurs in that view.

Secretary Strongs of the department of commerce and labor had a long talk with Mr. Hitchcock. He is scheduled to deliver two or three speeches later in the campaign, one of them in New York city. It has been suggested that he should be used to reply to arguments made in favor of Mr. Bryan by President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, but no plans have yet been made.

Senator McCumber and National Committeeman James Kennedy of North Dakota talked with Mr. Hitchcock about affairs in the western states. They predicted that North Dakota and adjoining states would cast as strong a vote for Mr. Taft as was received by Roosevelt four years ago.

H. F. Alexander, president of the Atlantic-Pacific Steamship company, at the Republican headquarters, expressed the opinion that there will be a landslide on the Pacific coast for

BRYAN SPEAKS AT TOPEKA

NEBRASKAN DELIVERS FOUR ADRESSES IN KANSAS CAPITAL.

TALKS ON GUARANTEED BANKS

Principal Discourse of Democratic Presidential Candidate Concerns Security of Deposits—Adds Some Remarks to His Prepared Speech.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 28.—Before an audience which filled the Auditorium to overflowing, W. J. Bryan, Democratic candidate for president, spoke on the subject of guaranty of bank deposits. Previously, he had delivered three other addresses, two from the veranda of the hotel and the third at Garfield park, where he attended a picnic of the Knights of Pythias, his latter theme being "Fraternity."

Mr. Bryan, in view of the action of the Kansas Republican state convention, which indorsed the guaranty proposition, made some remarks supplementary to his prepared speech on that subject. He took up the advantages of the guaranty system and then answered the objections made to it by Mr. Taft and others. He began by asking why the depositor should be left unsecured when the national government demanded security of any bank with which it deposited money.

He pointed out that the choice was between the postal savings bank and the guaranty bank, and accused Mr. Taft of favoring an unnecessary extension of the sphere of government in advocating the postal savings bank instead of the guaranty bank. Mr. Bryan declared that he preferred the guaranty bank proposition, which would allow the banks to attend to the banking business and yet compel them to give their depositors necessary security. Upon the conclusion of his prepared speech, Mr. Bryan said:

Kansas Bankers Favor Guaranty. "I asked Mr. Breidenthal, a banker of Kansas City, to make inquiry among the bankers of Kansas and ascertain what proportion of them favored the guaranty law. I learned that of the bankers that had expressed themselves on this subject, about three-fourths of them favored a guaranty law and one-fourth opposed it. This is an excellent showing.

Among the depositors, there is no opposition at all and it is evident that the Kansas bankers recognize, first, that something must be done, and second, that the guaranteed bank is better than the postal savings bank. I also inquired of Governor Haskell in regard to the number of national banks who have surrendered their charters and become state banks in order to have the benefits of the guaranty system. I have a telegram from him saying that four national banks have already made the change and are operating under the state banking laws, and that sixteen other national banks have applied for state charters. This is conclusive proof that the Oklahoma law is a success. A national charter is supposed to have some advantages over a state charter, and the benefits of the guaranty law must be admitted, when twenty national banks will in a short time change from the national system to the state system in order to give their depositors the advantages furnished by the guaranty.

Sees No Hope in Republicans. "Since the preparation of my speech on this subject, the Republicans of Kansas have held a convention and adopted a state platform. The plank on the guaranty of banks is a recognition of the necessity for security, but the plank is so worded as to be practically useless so far as the protection of the people is concerned. The Republicans propose to enable the state banks to mutually and voluntarily guarantee deposits. But that is not enough. Suppose that the banks mutually agreed not to do it. Must the depositor be left unsecured?"

"The Kansas Republican platform also requests the Republican candidates for congress and United States senate to favor a law in aiding a national bank to participate in the proposed mutual and voluntary system. But what chance is there of securing such a law when the Republican national convention refuses to pay any attention to the subject and when the Republican candidate opposes the whole principle of guaranty? Mr. Taft's condemnation of the guaranty system is so sweeping that no disinterested person can for a moment believe that he will either encourage or permit a law enabling national banks to participate in state systems. What the people need is a system whereby such state banks and national banks will be compelled to guarantee deposits and only a Democratic victory can secure this reform."

Tragedy at Atlantic City. Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 28.—Charles B. Roberts, president and treasurer of the National Supply company of Baltimore, was probably fatally shot by an unknown man, who dashed from a hotel pavilion and after firing, fled. The bullet penetrated Roberts' side. Roberts was being pushed along in a rolling chair with Mrs. W. F. G. Williams, also of Baltimore, when the stranger appeared. He commanded Roberts to get out of