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ALDRICH TELLS ABOUT LORIMER

HE TOLD HINES LORIMER WAS UNOBJECTIONABLE TO TAFT.

WORD "ACCEPTABLE" NOT USED

Aldrich Never Said That President Taft Was "Anxious" to Have Lorimer Elected—Never Mentioned Close Vote on Tariff.

Washington, July 20.—Former Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island today told the senate Lorimer committee of the part he and President Taft took in the election of a senator from Illinois in 1909.

Instead of telling Edward Hines of Chicago, the storm center in the present Lorimer investigation, that he and the president were anxious to have Lorimer elected, Mr. Aldrich declared that he said Lorimer's candidacy was "not objectionable." When attorneys for Lorimer, on cross-examination, tried to show that the former senator might have said "acceptable," Mr. Aldrich emphatically declared that he said "not objectionable," and that he meant that word and nothing more.

He added that he knew Hines would use the information given him at Springfield.

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NOTED BALL PLAYER DYING IN HOSPITAL

BOB CARRUTHERS, ONCE HIGHEST SALARIED OF ALL, IN NERVE COLLAPSE.

Peoria, Ill., July 20.—Robert Carruthers, at one time the highest salaried baseball player in the world, is reported as dying at St. Francis hospital in this city. He was taken to the institution a few days ago and the physicians declare he cannot live until Sunday, suffering, they say from a nervous breakdown.

In the late years, Carruthers has acted as umpire in the minor leagues, and at the opening of the season acted in that capacity for the Three-Eye League.

EDITORS EXPECT SNUB IN CANADA

DISCUSSION ABOUT ANNEXATION WITH CANADA, MAY COOL RECEPTION.

Detroit, July 20.—At the conclusion this afternoon of the convention of the National Editorial Association, as it hereafter will be known, the delegates will embark on the all-water trip to Montreal and Quebec, after which they will visit the mining region of northern Ontario.

There is much speculation among the editors as to what kind of a reception they will receive during their stay in Canada. On the opening day of the convention several speeches were made in which "union" with Canada was strongly advocated. So much was said along this line that a great many of the delegates have been dubbed "annexation boosters."

Judge Sutherland of Toronto, on the floor on the convention, took exception to the union and spoke warmly against it.

"We certainly cannot expect Canadians to be very hospitable to us," said one delegate, "and I think we shall be lucky if we escape without hostile demonstrations, knowing as I do the temper of the Canadian people regarding annexation."

MARS MAY QUIT FLYING.

Leaves Hospital and Says it May be Years Before He Flies Again.

Erie, Pa., July 20.—Sore in body and limping perceptibly, "Bud" Mars left the hospital, where he has been recovering from injuries due to a fall with his biplane last Friday. Mars went to a hotel, where he will be confined to his room for several days yet.

Mars said he would not attempt another flight for at least six months and may abandon aviation. He is contemplating taking another trip around the world and says that it may be years before he will be seen in another flight.

CONDITION OF THE WEATHER

Temperature for Twenty-four Hours. Forecast for Nebraska.

Maximum 78
Minimum 59
Average 64
Barometer 29.85
Chicago, July 20.—The bulletin issued by the Chicago station of the United States weather bureau gives the forecast for Nebraska as follows: Fair tonight and Friday.

TRAIN ROBBED; ENGINEER SHOT

MASKED MEN GO THROUGH NORTH DAKOTA TRAIN.

BULLETS FLY IN THE COACHES

Recklessly Blazing Away to Intimidate Passengers, the Three Bandits Get About \$500—Shot Fired Down Aisle of Pullman—Escape in Auto.

Grand Forks, N. D., July 20.—Train No. 2, the eastbound north coast limited on the Northern Pacific railway, was held up by three masked robbers near Buffalo, N. D., about 11 o'clock last night. The robbers secured about \$500 in cash by going through the passengers and shot Engineer S. P. Olson of Fargo, twice in order to make the train and made their escape in an automobile, which had been waiting near the scene of the robbery.

The performance as executed was one of the most daring ever perpetrated in this part of the country and showed that the men were no amateurs at the business, as every movement was cleverly planned and admirably executed.

Shoot Up Day Coach.
When the train stopped at the high bridge at Valley City the three men boarded it and went into the day coaches. Heavily armed, and shooting recklessly in order to intimidate the passengers, they first lined up the train crew at one end of the car and then proceeded to search the passengers in the day coach, one by one.

In all they secured about \$100 from this part of the robbery.

The sleeping car was entered and in order to awaken the occupants of the berths a shot was fired down the center of the aisle, narrowly missing the head of one of the passengers and embedding itself in the wood work.

Engineer Shot Twice.
After searching the occupants of the berths, they climbed over the dinner over the baggage and express cars to the engine reaching that part of the train when near Buffalo. They ordered Engineer Olson to stop the train so they could get off and when he refused to comply with their wishes two shots were fired at him, one glancing off his watch and the other striking him on a rib, injuring him slightly.

After being wounded and seeing that the men were desperate Engineer Olson stopped the train and the three robbers, who were all masked with hokkadot handkerchiefs, jumped quickly from the train.

Engineer Olson, who is one of the oldest engine pilots on the system, was brought into Fargo with the train and is resting at his home there.

After leaving the train, the robbers went to an automobile which they had waiting nearby and drove off into the darkness. The train was run into Fargo, where the sheriff, every available deputy and three deputy United States marshals hurried back on a special train to pursue the robbers.

Posses in Pursuit.
Posses also started out of Buffalo fifteen minutes after the robbery and every surrounding town in the northwest was telephoned or telegraphed to look for the robbers. The express and mail cars were not molested by the men.

It is not known what amount the cars contained, but usually the north coast limited carries considerable amounts of money and it is thought that the men took longer in getting through the day coaches than they had planned or they would have tried to blow up the express safe and ride the registered mail pouches.

Spain Apologizes to France.
Paris, July 20.—The Spanish ambassador to France, J. Perez Caballero, called on M. De Selves, the French foreign minister, and expressed regrets of the Spanish government for the arrest recently of M. Boisset, French consular agent at Alcazar, Morocco, by a Spanish patrol. In addition the Spanish ambassador said his government was desirous of maintaining cordial relations with France and had forwarded instructions to its agents at Alcazar in this sense.

Ratify Arbitration Treaty.
Washington, July 20.—The treaty between the United States and Great Britain providing for the arbitration of pecuniary claims between the two countries in accordance with the general arbitration treaty was ratified by the senate.

Rebels Marching On.
Port Au Prince, Haiti, July 20.—The revolutionists occupied Cape Haitien last night. The enemy also attacked Fort Liberté as President Simon and his troops withdrew.

AUTO RUNS INTO CREEK

TILDEN MAN LOSES CONTROL. CAR SHOTS DOWN.

DOOR OPENS, LIVES SAVED

Rosco Cunningham of Tilden Loses Control of Car and it Shoots Down Steep Incline Into Creek—Mrs. Landers and Baby Thrown Out on Road.

Neligh, Neb., July 20.—Special to The News: While Rosco Cunningham, Veterinary Surgeon Landers, wife and baby of Tilden were coming to Neligh yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock from Gorman Hollow in an automobile, Mr. Cunningham lost control of the machine, which went down a steep embankment into a creek along the side of the road, throwing all of the occupants out, and it was a fortunate affair that they were not killed.

It happened that the side door of the car opened just as it was making the descent when Mrs. Landers and her baby were thrown out into the road. They were hurriedly brought to town and taken to Gray Gables hospital, where their minor injuries were treated, the mother being more injured than her child.

An effort was made last evening to extract the car from the bottom of the deep creek, but the work was abandoned on account of the steep descent and lack of material to work with. It was noticed that one front wheel of the machine was broken off.

Mr. Landers and family were able to return to their home late in the evening.

A HORSE THIEF PLEADS GUILTY

CLARK BENIDICK, BROUGHT BACK TO VALENTINE, CONFESSES GUILT.

AMERICANS ARE GIVEN REFUGE

Until the Arrival of an American Warship, American and Other Foreign Women and Children Are Being Given Protection.

Cape Haitien, July 20.—The city is at the mercy of the revolutionists and is being pillaged. All the generals opposed to the revolution have found refuge in the foreign consulates. The French consul was slightly wounded while offering protection to the local authorities.

An American yacht anchored off the town offers refuge to American and other foreign women and children pending the arrival of a United States warship. The enemy occupied the city yesterday afternoon when the population practically declared for the revolutionists. Since the situation has grown steadily worse.

ALLEGED BURGLAR FOUND ON A RANCH

MAN WANTED IN IOWA IS ARRESTED ON RANCH NEAR WOOD LAKE, NEB.

PA. DEMOCRATS IN ROW.

Factional Split Over Party Matters. Together On Wilson.

Harrisburg, Pa., July 20.—The expected split in the democratic state central committee came when the two factions in the party held separate meetings and completely reorganized. The democratic congressmen from Pennsylvania tried to bring about harmony but failed.

While a wide difference developed on party matters, both factions agreed to one proposition, the endorsement of Gov. Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey for the democratic presidential candidate.

The only other presidential boom was that of Gov. Judson Harmon of Ohio. "The reorganization democrats had present fifty-six of the eighty-one members, which they say constituted the committee.

They endorsed Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer for national committeeman to succeed James M. Guffey. The "regulars" endorsed Colonel Guffey for national committeeman.

Mexican Cabinet Changes.
Mexico City, July 20.—President De la Barra received and accepted the resignations of the secretary of war, Gen. Eugenio Rascon, and the assistant, Gen. Juan M. Duran. Gen. Jose Gonzalez Salas was appointed assistant secretary. The retiring officials left it for the president to make public the reason for their withdrawal, but he withheld it. It will be no surprise if Gen. Lauro Villar, who was in command of the federal troops at Chihuahua during the latter part of the revolution, is named to succeed Gen. Rascon.

Begin Ice Probe.
New York, July 20.—Before Magistrate Appleton, a hearing was begun on the ways of the so-called ice trust. Fifteen small dealers were subpoenaed to tell what they might know of the sudden advance in the price of ice during the recent hot wave. All testified that they, as well as the ultimate consumer, were victims of prohibitive prices charged by larger dealers.

SUMMER BELLES



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ANOTHER STEAMER FROM CHOLERA ZONE

WILL BE KEPT IN QUARANTINE FOR TEN DAYS—TREATING THE CASES.

New York, July 20.—Another ship from the cholera country anchored in quarantine today and added to the company of several hundred immigrants who must undergo individual bacteriological examination before they are permitted on the main land. The newcomer was the steamer Principe Di Piemonte from Genoa and Naples, cities which have furnished most of the cholera cases thus far imported.

Under the state and federal rules she will be detained for ten days and the period may be longer if it is found that any of her crew or passengers have the disease.

Owing to the quarantine regulations recently enforced by the Italian government on immigrants before they sail, the health authorities here hope further arrivals from Mediterranean ports will give them less trouble than the steamers Moltke and Perugia, which still lie in quarantine.

Satisfactory conditions were reported today at both the Swinburn Island hospital, where the actual cases of cholera are treated and at Hoffmanns Island, where the health officers are watching some 600 immigrants whose freedom from the disease is still unproved. No new cases have developed since Sunday and there have been no more deaths since the seventh patient died yesterday at the Swinburne island hospital.

Bishop Tihen Installed.
Lincoln, July 20.—With an elaborate ceremony, attended by a large number of priests of the diocese and church dignitaries from abroad, the Right Rev. J. Henry Tihen was installed as bishop of the Catholic see of Lincoln. Bishop Tihen, who was recently consecrated at Wichita, Kan., arrived from that place with an escort of priests and laymen. The services were held at St. Theresa's cathedral, Rev. Father Klein performing the installation ceremony and Rev. Father Bradley preaching the sermon. At the Lincoln Auditorium a reception was tendered Bishop Tihen with addresses by Gov. Aldrich and others.

WISCONSIN FARMERS MAY LYNCH A NEGRO

FARMHAND WHO SHOT DAUGHTER OF HIS EMPLOYER, BEING HUNTED.

La Crosse, Wis., July 20.—The search for Edward Robbette, the young negro farmhand who last night shot and seriously wounded Silvia Price, the pretty daughter of his employer, who had renounced his advances, went all night without result.

In all the townships north of La Crosse, on the Wisconsin side of the Mississippi for thirty miles, farm work has been practically suspended while the people have turned out by the thousands to hunt the negro.

It is expected that the fugitive will be captured today. His fate may depend on whether the officers or the farmers find him first.

Miss Price is better today and is expected to recover.

CLARENCE ENGLISH HERE

Fighter Who Once Got Decision Over Battling Nelson Norfolk Guest.

Clarence English, the Omaha fighter who in 1903 got a decision over Battling Nelson, is in the city as a guest of Mike O'Hara. English is here to meet Dick Green of Chicago, Jimmie Caine and a number of other fighters who are arranging an exhibition for the race meet in this city. English is looking fine and O'Hara may be able to keep him here for the exhibition.

VETO BILL PASSES ITS THIRD READING

WITHOUT DIVISION. THE HOUSE OF LORDS ADOPTS IMPORTANT MEASURE.

London, July 20.—The veto bill passed its third reading without division in the house of lords this evening.

NOTED AUTO DRIVER KILLED IN A RACE

LEWIS STRANGE OF RACINE, WIS., MEETS DEATH ON AN EMBANKMENT.

Milwaukee, July 20.—Lewis Strange of Racine, Wis., probably the best known automobile racer in Wisconsin, was killed at Blue River, Wis., this afternoon when his Case car, which he was driving in the state reliability tour, jumped an embankment.

Canadian Fuel Famine Serious.
Windsor, Man., July 20.—The fuel situation in western Canada is becoming more alarming and a serious coal and wood famine is inevitable. Each day's delay in the settlement of the coal miners' strike in Alberta and eastern British Columbia, since April, makes the situation more acute. The mines in which the men are on strike supplied a vast territory with coal, which now is being shipped in from Pennsylvania.

BUY UNDERTAKING BUSINESS.

Neligh, Neb., July 20.—Special to The News: Skinner Bros. of this city have purchased the undertaking business of John James of Clearwater and have already taken possession. J. W. Ueberback of that place has accepted the position of the Neligh firm as their manager.

ALL FOREIGNERS IN DANGER.

Berlin, July 20.—An appeal for protection was received today by the leaders of the national liberal party from twenty-five German families at Orizaba, Mex., who evidently are apprehensive of the Germans who were killed by rioters at Puebla. Evidently in support of the fact that the rebels are not sitting the alarmed ones asked that the government be interpellated regarding the murders. The government has taken no steps as yet pending the conclusions of an investigation by its representatives in Mexico. It regards the position not only of Germans but of all foreigners in Mexico as dangerous on account of the strong anti-foreign feeling and the difficulties of the administration in coping with the former revolutionists and the bandits.

MARRIED BY TELEPHONE

Preacher in One Place, Bride in Another, Groom in Another.

Coin, Ia., July 20.—Marriage by telephone with the officiating clergyman in one place, the bridegroom in another, and the bride in still another was made possible here yesterday.

Strike for McNamara?

Butte, Mont., July 20.—Whether any definite strike shall be declared by the Western Federation of Miners on the day the McNamara brothers go on trial in Los Angeles or whether a 24-hour strike should be called, was the question which agitated the convention of Western Federation of Miners today.

STEAL DIAMONDS AT POINT OF GUN

A BOLD DAYLIGHT ROBBERY IN KANSAS CITY JEWELRY STORE.

OWNER CHASES, ROBBER FIRES

Two Men Enter Store at 9 a. m., "Just Looking"—Ask to See Diamond Eardrops, Pull Gun, Seize Gems and Flee—One Captured.

Kansas City, July 20.—Two men entered the shop of the Franklin Jewelry company, near Ninth and Main streets in the heart of the city, at 9 o'clock this morning, held up H. J. Franklin at the point of a revolver, took a tray of diamonds and ran down the alley.

When pursued by Franklin they fired at him, dangerously wounding B. A. Seitz, a bystander. One of the robbers was captured five minutes later in a department store, three blocks from the scene of the robbery. He gave his name as John Brown.

When the robbers entered the store, Mr. Franklin the proprietor, was alone.

"We're Just Looking."
"We are just looking," they said when asked what they wanted.

A few minutes later they asked to be shown some diamond eardrops. Mr. Franklin removed a tray containing several hundred dollars worth of diamonds from a showcase and placed it on the counter just as one of the men drew a revolver and ordered him to throw up his hands.

Thrusting the tray under his arm, one of the men burst into the street, followed by the other. Franklin was up and out of the store just as the men turned into an alley and ran. When Franklin shouted to them to stop the robbers turned and one fired two shots, wounding Seitz.

By this time scores of people had joined the hue and cry. One of the robbers disappeared into a doorway, the other turned into the rear entrance of a department store where he was soon captured.

The robber at first gave the name of John Brown, later said his real name was William Rock and that he had been a bartender in Chicago.

HALF RATES FOR DAKOTA SUFFERERS

FREIGHT RATES CUT IN TWO, TO KEEP HOMESTEADERS IN THE STATE.

Aberdeen, S. D., July 20.—That 20,000 drought-stricken and destitute homesteaders west of the Missouri river, may remain in the country, the state railroad commissioners arranged a special half rate on railroad lines to that territory upon food and seed and also provided for free transportation of seed grain for next spring.

To Break Timber Union.

New Orleans, July 20.—A determined effort to break up the recently organized National Brotherhood of Timber workers, was directed upon here at a meeting of lumber operators from east Texas, Louisiana and south Mississippi, held Monday, ten large mills in California and Vermont parishes, Louisiana, representing a half output of million and a half feet of lumber, will be closed for an indefinite period. Already five large mills in these two parishes have been closed down and after Monday a total of several thousand mill employees will be idle. The mill men feared the National Brotherhood as a socialist movement not affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Police Chief to Prison.

Seattle, Wash., July 20.—Former Chief of Police Wapenstein, convicted of accepting a bribe for permitting the operation of immoral resorts during the Gill administration, was sentenced to not less than three or more than ten years in the state penitentiary. Wapenstein has ninety days in which to appeal to the supreme court.

Knocks Out 2 Cents.

Illinois Low Fare Rate Declared Unconstitutional.
Springfield, Ill., July 20.—The Illinois two-cent rate law was declared unconstitutional in a report to the United States district court here today, and was submitted by Walter McClellan Allen, master in chancery.

The report was handed down in the case of the Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis railway, but it may be made to apply to any road which can show that it is not earning 6 percent of its investment in the passenger department.

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