

SCHWAB QUILTS TRUST

Resigns Position of President of United States Steel Corporation.

W. E. COREY SUCCEEDS TO POSITION

Assistant Assumes Duties He Has Performed for Several Weeks

ILL-HEALTH CAUSE OF THE CHANGE

Financier Declares He Leaves Chief Post Because of Illness

STILL CONTINUES TO ACT AS DIRECTOR

New Officers Are Created, C. H. Gary Being Elected First Chairman of Directors with Advisory Committee.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The resignation of Charles M. Schwab as president of the United States Steel corporation was tendered and accepted at a meeting of the directors today.

Mr. Schwab's resignation caused no surprise in financial circles, where it had for some time been foreseen.

Mr. Schwab attended today's meeting, coming to town, it was said, for that purpose.

Formal announcement of Mr. Schwab's resignation was made as follows:

At the regular meeting of the directors of the United States Steel corporation, Charles M. Schwab, in consequence of continued ill health, tendered his resignation as president of the corporation.

The office of chairman of the board of directors was assumed by C. H. Gary, who was elected to that position and will continue to devote his entire time to the business of the corporation.

The foregoing statement, given out by Chairman Gary, was supplemented by the following from H. C. Frick:

Several months ago Mr. Schwab told me he would like to see the United States Steel corporation on account of his continued ill health and asked me to assist in his resignation.

Mr. Schwab will continue to be a member of the board of directors and of the Finance committee.

Mr. Schwab met the press representatives to whom he made this informal statement.

I want to say that I think I have been treated unfairly by the newspapers in regard to the reasons for my retirement.

On my return from Europe six months ago I tried to get my resignation, but was unable to do so.

I deeply regret that Mr. Schwab's health renders it impossible for him to continue at the head of the steel corporation.

The new president has entered on his duties and it may be authoritatively said that with his election the steel corporation has begun a new policy.

Other important changes were announced in the personnel of policy of the corporation.

WESTERN MATTERS AT CAPITAL

Number of Appointments Made in Postal Service in Neighboring States.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—(Special Telegram.)—John C. Zeller has been appointed postmaster at Abbeot, Hardin county, Ia.

A postoffice has been established at Hummer, Charles Mix county, S. D., with Dell Sherman as postmaster.

The postoffice at Dever, Lee county, Ia., has been discontinued; mail to Dever, Mo., is to be carried there.

James L. Heathman has been appointed rural letter carrier, Anna E. Heathman substitute at Lamona, Ia.

The controller of the currency has approved the Omaha National bank of Omaha and the Hanover National Bank of New York as reserve agents for the First National bank of Crawford, Neb.

The Cedar Rapids National bank of Cedar Rapids, Ia., for the Boston National bank and the Merchants National bank of Boston, Mass., for the Iowa National bank of Davenport, Ia.

CRUEL OFFICER IS PUNISHED

Sentenced to Prison by Court-Martial and Degraded to the Rank.

BERLIN, (Special Telegram.)—The details are published today of a court-martial held at Metz on a non-commissioned officer named Tunkel for maltreating his soldiers at Moechingen, Lorraine.

Four hundred and seventy-five officers of brutality all occurring last winter, were cited. The evidence showed Tunkel's fertile inventiveness in novel methods of punishment, such as compelling a soldier to run at full tilt across a room and ram his head against a wardrobe.

The court decided that 200 counts of the indictment had been proved and sentenced Tunkel to two years and a half imprisonment and degradation to the rank.

The scandal became known to the military authorities, through the suicide of one of the maltreated men, which was an anonymous letter ascribed to Tunkel's brutality.

CURZON WANTS A VACATION

With that Understanding He Will Accept Extension of Term of Office.

SIMLA, India, Aug. 4.—Viceroy Curzon informed the council at today's sitting that he had decided to accept the government's offer of an extension of his term of office with permission to take a vacation in England in 1904, should he so desire.

Lord Curzon said he was fully aware of the strain and worry and the fact that only two viceroys in the last fifty years had held office beyond five years.

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M'KINLEY PARK ABANDONED

Honolulu Will Probably Build Light-house as Memorial to Late President.

HONOLULU, Aug. 4.—The proposal to establish a public park in or near the city as a memorial to the late President McKinley will probably be abandoned.

Instead of the tribute to the chief executive during whose administration the people of Hawaii became citizens of the United States, it is now planned to erect a McKinley memorial lighthouse at the entrance of the harbor.

FORESEE AMERICAN SUGAR

British Legislators Think United States May Increase Exports if Prices Rise.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—While the House of Commons was in committee on the sugar bill convention today a question rose as to whether the importation of bounty-free sugar should be prohibited or counter-vailing duties imposed.

Many of the liberal members referred to the American imports, now insignificant, suggesting they increase if the price of sugar rose.

It was pointed out that the prohibition of sugar from the United States would be a violation of the most favored nation clause.

PRELATE FOR PRIVY COUNCIL

Catholic Archbishop Likely to Be Appointed as Result of King's Irish Visit.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—According to the Chronicle it is not impossible that the king's Irish visit will result in the appointment of Archbishop William J. Walsh of Dublin to the Irish privy council.

Hilbert, no Catholic prelate has been on the council, but it is said to have been decided to appoint a prelate possessing the confidence of the Irish people and the pope.

DOCTOR HELPS THE DEFENSE

Physician Who Attended Marcum Testifies for Accused Men.

CYNTHIANA, Ky., Aug. 4.—In the Jett and White trial today Dr. J. M. Nash of Jacksonville, a attending Marcum as he lay dying in front of the court house.

He said that a few minutes before the killing he saw Jett in front of Hargis Bros. store, immediately across the street from the court house, talking to Asbury Spier and Lash Noble.

This contradicted the testimony of at least fifteen witnesses who testified for the prosecution to seeing Jett go into the side door of the court house immediately before the shooting.

TRUST IS TO FIX THE PRICE

Tobacco Growers in Future Will Have No Say About Value of Product.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 4.—Negotiations are in progress between the Louisville Tobacco Warehouse company, controlling all of the local warehouses, and the Continental and American combines whereby it is expected the two companies will in the future concentrate their buying operations at Louisville and Cincinnati warehouses.

ROCK ISLAND FACES STRIKE

Conductors and Trainmen Prepare Ultimatum to Railroad Officials.

INCREASE IN WAGES IS DEMANDED

Men Decide to Quit if Application is Refused, Though National Officers Work to Preserve Peace.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—Trainmen and conductors employed by the Rock Island railroad have voted to strike unless the railroad pays the increase in wages that they have demanded.

Their determination will be made known to the officers of the company tomorrow, when committees representing the conductors and trainmen will wait on them.

These committees will tell the officers of the railroad company the result of the referendum vote that has been taken on the question of a strike and will ask the officers to meet their demands.

National officers of the two employees' organizations are in Chicago tonight and are doing their best to prevent a rupture.

OWNERS MAY LOSE A BRIDGE

United States May Take Possession of Structure at St. Louis.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Secretary of War Root has addressed a communication to the Merchants Bridge company, a large bridge across the Mississippi river at St. Louis, asking the company to show cause why the United States should not take possession of the bridge under the statute which provided for its construction.

Under the law the secretary of war can take possession of the bridge without legal proceedings of any kind, if any of three things happen, namely, if the bridge company consolidates with any other bridge company, if the company pools its earnings with any other company, or if the officers of any other company become officers of the Merchants Bridge company.

In the allegations presented to the secretary of war it is declared that leases made by the Merchants Bridge company constitute a consolidation with another company.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 4.—It is charged that the St. Louis Terminal association, part of whose property is in the Eads bridge also controlled the Merchants bridge and its facilities, as well as most of the railroad terminals of St. Louis.

At present there is still before the St. Louis municipal assembly granting the terminal association certain privileges in the streets of the city, in order to facilitate the handling of World's fair crowds and for permanent improvements.

Colorado Road for Sale

DENVER, Aug. 4.—The Colorado & Northwestern, operating between Boulder and Ward, twenty-six miles, will be sold within the next ninety days under a decree of foreclosure.

LITTAUER DEFENDS HIMSELF

Declares Country Must See He Broke Neither Legal Nor Moral Law.

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WOULD PROVE POWERS PARDON

Defense in Gobel Murder Trial Try Novel Means to Exonerate Suspect.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Aug. 4.—Among those to testify for the defense in the third trial of the former secretary of state, Caleb Powers is "Tallow Dick" Cumber, a colored barber, who is believed to have been completely in the Gobel murder.

The defense today offered affidavits for a continuance, supported by a plea in abatement to go behind the records of the legislature that unseated W. S. Taylor as governor in favor of Gobel.

HARTINGTON MAN IS TOUCHED

Loses Five Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars in Crowded Car Vestibule.

Samuel Lemon of Hartington, Neb., reported to the police last night that he had lost \$5,800 in promissory notes and certificates of deposit on the Hartington bank.

Mr. Lemon was on his way from Kansas City to his home. He came in on the Missouri Pacific train at 10:30 last night. When he got into the vestibule of the car to get off the train he was pushed by several men, who he tried to get off at the station.

THINKS FELONS ARE LOCATED

Sheriff Believes Fleeing Folsom fugitives Are Discovered at Last.

BIDS ON THE NEW SANITARIUM

National Board of Soldiers' Homes Examines Proposals to Build Battle Mountain Plant.

Bids were opened Tuesday afternoon for the erection of the national sanitarium, to be known as the Battle Mountain sanitarium, at Hot Springs, S. D., at the office of Architect Thomas L. Kimball, in the McCague building, this city.

Major A. G. Hull of Iowa has been selected as superintendent of the new home or sanitarium.

Among other members of the national board in this city at this time is Major James Harris, U. S. engineer, John J. Mitchell, Milwaukee, vice president; Colonel George W. Steen, Marion, Ind., secretary; General Charles M. Anderson, Greenville, Ohio; Colonel Sidney G. Cooke, Harrison, Kan.; General Thomas J. Henderson, Princeton, Ill.; General J. Marshall Brown, Portland, Me.; Major William H. Bonnell, Los Angeles, Cal.; Captain Henry E. Palmer, Omaha, and Colonel Walter F. Brownlow, Jonesboro, Tenn.

The board will meet August 6 at the National Home at Leavenworth, Kan., and will proceed to California to inspect the National Home at Los Angeles and Santa Monica, Cal.

The Battle Mountain sanitarium at Hot Springs, S. D., owes its inception very largely to four years indefatigable work on the part of Captain H. E. Palmer of Omaha.

It has been a day very trying on my nerves," said Captain Palmer last evening, "for we hope the bids will come within the appropriation for the new sanitarium. For this reason it has required some time to figure out the bids closely, because of the multiplicity of details in the specifications."

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There are now upwards of four hundred sick veterans in the various national homes that are in urgent need of the medical attendance that can only be obtained at the great Springs sanitarium. I will join the national board at Leavenworth and will go with them to California and expect to take in the national Grand Army of the Republic encampment incidentally at San Francisco.

HE'S A STIFF POKER PLAYER

Marlin Ceavors of Millard Backs Two Pairs Liberally and Loses.

The price of beer is advancing in Omaha. At least Marlin Ceavors of Millard, who traded the result of four years' hard work on a farm for a single schooner, thinks so.

More Liberal Than Leo

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GETS NEWS FROM NEW YORK

England Again Depends Upon Associated Press for Tidings from Vatican.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—News of the election of Cardinal Sarto as pope reached England first through an Associated Press dispatch from New York. The information was communicated to the Catholic church authorities and Mr. Johnson, who is in charge of church affairs here pending the appointment of a successor to Cardinal Vaughan, said:

I am glad the election is over and the rumors ended. Cardinal Sarto is midway between the older and younger element of the sacred college, so that he probably has a long life to live. He is active and energetic.

To the Catholics of London the election was a great surprise. The first question asked, not only by laymen, but by high church dignitaries, was: "Who is Sarto?"

Books of reference were quickly hunted up in order to ascertain knowledge of the career of the new pontiff.

This afternoon a cable dispatch was received at the archbishop's house from the English college at Rome formally announcing the fact of Sarto's election. The churchmen at Westminster expressed the opinion that the new pope is a quiet ecclesiastic who has not mixed much in politics and probably will pursue a policy designed to conciliate conflicting interests.

The few who are acquainted with him say he is highly esteemed by the Italian government and was a close friend of King Humbert. There was much interest expressed as to what he would assume. This latter was announced as Pius X.

VIENNA IS SURPRISED

VIENNA, Aug. 4.—The election of Cardinal Sarto as pope has occasioned some surprise here, his name having scarcely been mentioned among the probable successors of Pope Leo.

Washington is notified.

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SEES HARMONY IN NEW POPE

Father Colaneri, Chancellor of Catholic Diocese, Comments on Election.

MOVE TOWARD UNITING ITALIAN FACTIONS

Will Tend to Harmonize Relations Between Vatican and Quirinal and Improve Liberal Policy of Church.

The election of Cardinal Sarto as pope, under this of Pius X, is considered in Catholic circles in Omaha as the ascendency of the spirit of friendliness between the Vatican and the Quirinal, which will in time bring about a complete understanding between the church and the Italian government.

Speaking of the matter, Rev. A. M. Colaneri, chancellor of the diocese of Omaha, who is an Italian and very familiar with the situation, said:

In the election of Cardinal Sarto the political atmosphere of Rome may be roughly described as follows: It comes from the north of Italy, a Milanese, I believe, and in the northern provinces there is not that spirit of hatred of the government which prevails in the southern part of the country.

Before the cardinal made peace where trouble was expected. When the patriarchate of Venice was vacant the king of Italy claimed the right to nominate an ecclesiastic for the vacant chair, but this was opposed by the pope on the grounds that Venice, never having been a part of Italy until after the revolution under the rule of Savoy, the rules of the kingdom could not claim the right which they are permitted to exercise in towns like Turin, which have always been parts of the kingdom.

The government was at first inclined to cause trouble, but the appointment of Cardinal Sarto to that place settled all the trouble, because he was a personal friend of King Humbert, the father of the present king.

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The Foreign Office at that hour had no confirmation of the news, but regarded it as probable, it having been learned that Sarto had strongly increased his vote yesterday. Replying to the question whether the election was acceptable to Germany, a representative of the foreign office answered:

Unqualifiedly so from an official view point. Sarto is a mild, unassuming man and has never been active politically.

In other quarters, it was remarked that Sarto is the only Italian cardinal to whom the king of Italy received. His repeated visits to the king and his aversion to politics are regarded as an auspicious sign for the triple alliance.

It was also stated that Sarto does not aspire to the restoration of the temporal power of the papacy. The officials think that the German emperor will be well pleased with the election, and believed that the emperor received Sarto in audience while visiting the king of Italy.

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CONDITION OF THE WEATHER

Forecast for Nebraska—Fair and Continued Warm Wednesday and Thursday.

Temperature at Omaha Yesterday:

FRANCE APPROVES CHOICE

Election of Sarto Removes Fear that New Pope Might Be Reactionary.

PARIS, Aug. 4.—The election of Cardinal Sarto as pope has created a distinctly favorable impression in governmental quarters, removing the fear that the office might fall upon a radical or reactionary candidate. The Foreign office received the first information of the election from press sources, the news spreading rapidly among the officials and causing widespread comment.

Although not espousing any particular candidacy, official feeling has been favorable to one who would continue the conservative policy of the late pope.

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What was most feared was the election of one who might adopt a policy antagonistic to the government of France, thereby increasing the difficulties of the present governmental policy against the congressionals and possibly threatening the existence of the concordate.

Although it is known of Sarto's policies, he is considered as one likely to avoid conflict and to continue the policy of Pope Leo and Cardinal Rampolla. The officials here recall Sarto's tactful course in receiving the king and queen of Italy at Venice, which removed the fear that the office might fall upon a radical or reactionary candidate.

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Cardinal Sarto, Patriarch of Venice, Elected on Seventh Ballot.

IMMEDIATELY ASSUMES NEW TITLE

Appears on the Outside of the Basilica and Blesses Populace.

NEW POPE A WARM FRIEND OF LEO

In April Letter Predicts that Sarto Will Be Successor.

HE IS KNOWN AS GREAT PREACHER

New Pope is Man of Liberal Ideas, but Honored for Piety and Strict Uprightness of His Life.

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