

safety's sake. The congestion at the top of the stairway from the train platform to the concourse was so great that women were constantly screaming and the men about them fighting with fist blows to save them from being crushed.

The way and the push of the crowds when shouts from below signalled the arrival of the train started crashes all through the multitude and a stampede toward the gate for the incoming passengers.

Just six policemen had been assigned for the reception. Inasmuch as the people had been let out of all restrictions and boundaries, these policemen were as helpless as clothing store dummies, except to make the fighting immediately about them worse by their hopeless efforts to assert authority.

Lieuts. Hinton, Kloor and Farrell had fairly to fight their way shoulder to shoulder with the committee and dragging Mrs. Farrell and Mrs. Hinton between them up the steps. The excited multitude, forgetting everything save a frantic chance to "get a look" and in many cases to qualify for a boast of "I touched one of 'em,"

The rough and tumble continued into the lobby of the hotel where aided by employees of the house a little space was cleared in which the aeronauts and the reception committee were enabled to sort themselves out.

The floor of the railroad terminal was strewn with buttons, fragments of hats, high heels of women's shoes and other debris after the storm had passed. The rest rooms were crowded for an hour afterward by breathless and half hysterical women trying to adjust their clothing and their feelings.

Owing to the fears and anger of those caught in the mob for their own safety and of those accompanying them and the constant outbreak of personal encounters and the fierce concentration of individuals on the task of charging into the mass to get as close as possible, there was little cheering in the station.

PARADE IS CANCELLED ON ACCOUNT OF STORM. A special train of the Long Island Railroad was planned to take the aeronauts to Hammel, where the Rockaway celebration is waiting for them.

The aeronauts were greeted by 2,000 when they arrived at Rockaway this afternoon. The rain failed to dampen the enthusiasm of the villagers, who greeted the officers with cheers. Hundreds of vari-colored toy balloons carried by men, women and children were released. Banners with the legend "Welcome Home" were displayed on banners and placards.

The children of the two public schools on the four-mile route of the parade along Washington Boulevard from Hammel to the air station were marched out to the wet sidewalks and sang and waved flags at the procession. Borough President Connolly made a speech when the procession halted at 126th Street.

SCHOOL TO COACH BATHTUB COPS. The 330 policemen assigned to operate the eighty side-car motorcycles, more popularly known as "bathtubs," which were purchased during the holidays for the purpose of chasing stick-kids and other criminals, were ordered to-day to report some time during the next two weeks to Acting Captain Anthony Howe of the West 80th Street Station. He will instruct them in the mechanism of the machines.

The policemen who operate and the sergeants who inspect the machines have spoken freely regarding the dangers of their operation, especially since the Brooklyn smash in which Policeman William Wallis was killed and Sgt. William O'Brien suffered a fracture of the skull on Jan. 1. To-day another of the machines got out of control at Avenue C and Second Street and Policeman Charles M. Genthier, its operator, narrowly missed serious injury.

DIVORCE DECREE FOR MRS. WILLARD Gets Custody of Her Two Children, Who Are Permitted to Call on Their Father.

Supreme Court Justice Aspinwall in Brooklyn to-day granted a decree of interlocutory divorce to Mrs. Ella Guthrie Willard, who is a daughter of William D. Guthrie, and lives at Locust Valley, L. I. Mrs. Willard alleged that her husband, Eugene S. Willard, a Manhattan real estate broker, and well known yachtsman and sporting man, had been living with Mrs. Virginia Kelly, described as a "stout blonde," in Madison Avenue, Manhattan.

The custody of the two children, Guthrie, fifteen, and Marian, sixteen, was given to Mrs. Willard. They are to be permitted to call on their father, however, whenever they desire, but are to be accompanied always by a companion selected by their mother.

BUDGET FIGURES MAY BE ALL UPSET BY CASES IN COURT

Fully Half Billion Dollars in Taxes Already Collected Are Involved.

EARLY DECISION ASKED. Another Reason Why Whole Tax Question Will Await Special Session.

By David Lawrence. (Staff Correspondent of The Evening World.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 14 (Copyright, 1921).—All calculations as to the size of the budget needed to run the Government, all estimates as to the amounts that must be raised for taxation either by tariff duties or income taxes, may be upset if the Department of Justice should lose two cases which have just been argued before the Supreme Court of the United States.

"The most important financial litigation in which the Government has been engaged," is the way officials at the Department of Justice describe the cases, and it is estimated that fully \$500,000,000 in taxes that already have been collected may have to be given back by the Government if the outcome of the cases is unfavorable.

Rivalling in importance, the famous stock-dividend cases, the two big principles at issue in the pending cases are of far-reaching importance to the business men of the country as well as to all persons who have money invested in trust funds.

One is known as the invested capital case and the other the capital assets case. The first grows out of the rise in value of some coal lands from \$300,000 to something like \$10,000,000 in a few years. The concern in question issued stock to the amount of the ten millions, and the Government claims that the new stock is really profit.

THOUSANDS OF SIMILAR CASES IN COUNTRY. There are hundreds of thousands of similar instances throughout the country, and just as soon as the case was put on the calendar for argument fifteen arms promptly filed briefs to protect their own interests. The question of whether the increased value is profit and subject to tax or whether it is an increase in capital contributed by the soil is so vital that it may affect the entire tax question and either require new laws by Congress or new rulings by the Treasury Department.

The other case involves a still more interesting principle. It is in connection with the Ryerson estate of Chicago, and the Merchants' Trust Company is seeking to have a ruling of the Treasury overturned. Millions of dollars have been held by the trust company for the heirs of the Ryerson estate.

That money has troubled in value because the securities in which the money was invested have gone up. Now, the trust company felt that it ought to sell the securities and reinvest the money thus obtained.

The trust company contends that the increased amount of money is simply an addition to capital and is not profit. It further argues that the individual legatees may get increased incomes through payments from the fund, but that the Government taxes those payments by reaching the individual. COURT IS ASKED TO ADVANCE CASES.

On the other hand, the Government claims that profit is measured always by the difference between the financial standing of a firm or a trust fund or an individual at one date and the financial standing of the same at a later date. This profit or surplus has been subject to attack before, and the Government lost in the stock-dividend case. The present case is really another way to get around the stock-dividend decision.

Brindell Sketched From Life In Court at Trial Yesterday



ROBERT A. BRINDELL

UNTERMYER CALLS ON GOV. MILLER

Asks His Influence for More Power for the Lockwood Investigating Committee.

ALBANY, Jan. 14.—Samuel Untermyer, counsel to the Lockwood Joint Legislative Committee investigating the housing and building situation, called on Gov. Miller at the Capitol to-day to urge the Governor to use his influence to cause the Legislature to extend the power of the Investigating Committee. The Committee has asked that its life be extended and that it be given authority to look into the affairs of banks and insurance companies in connection with its inquiry into the building and housing problem.

Before calling at the Capitol, Mr. Untermyer appeared in the Court of Appeals to oppose an appeal of Martin W. Littleton, counsel for R. P. Brindell, on trial on charges of extortion, to a decision by the Appellate Division which sustained Supreme Court Justice Burr of New York in refusing a change of venue. The Appellate Division ruled that the question of change of venue was not appealable. The Court of Appeals to-day withheld decision.

GIGANTIC VOTE FRAUD ALLEGED; TO ARRESTS, 21 INDICTMENTS

(Continued From First Page.) nary duties in the District Attorney's office daily under the eyes of the men who were searching for "Patrick Hardy." It is alleged that in this district 120 votes were taken from Theresa Malkiel, the Socialist candidate for the Assembly, and transferred to Samuel Diskstein, the Fusion candidate. The charges were made by John N. Sayre, a brother of Francis B. Sayre, son-in-law of President Wilson, and a watcher at the polls for the Honest Ballot Association. Mrs. Florence H. Morris and another woman watcher, when Harden was taken to the office of the Attorney General, identified him as the Patrick Hardy who had acted as election inspector.

In the 17th Election District of the Second Assembly District the Grand Jury charges that the inspectors tabulated 371 votes for Smith and 6 for Miller, and there is evidence that Smith received but 476 votes and Miller many more than 5, though the destruction of ballots has been such that the exact number of Miller ballots cannot be known. At least 109 ballots for Miller were changed.

In the 18th Election District of the same Assembly District 61 votes were tabulated for Smith as against 3 for Miller. The honest count, the Grand Jury finds, should have been Smith 52, Miller 5. In these districts the following have been arrested: Austin McCoskey, Agnes Schabel, Jacob Rubenfeld and Charles Aasonelli in the 17th Election District and Anthony Manzo and Victor Fape in the 18th Election District. All are charged with falsifying the canvass.

In the 19th Election District of the 17th Assembly District it is charged that numerous votes cast for the Socialist candidate for Assembly, Charles, were counted for Laban, the Democratic candidate. In this district, Inspector Albert Bieler and Benjamin Kramer have been put under bonds on indictments for false canvassing.

In another district downtown Harry M. Godden has been held for "neglect of duty." ARREST WAREHOUSE MEN ON CHARGE OF SWEEPING. Joseph Kelly, in charge of the army warehouse at Governor's Island, and Isidor Brier, Irving Lewis and Edward Clevan, checkers on the military reservation, were arraigned before United States Commissioner Hitchcock yesterday charged with stealing 30,000 pairs of buckskin gloves, valued at \$26,000. The loot was recovered in a South Street warehouse and Clevan and Lewis were valued at \$2,500, and Clevan at \$1,000.

FLYERS ADD MANY MORE DETAILS TO THRILLING STORY OF FLIGHT

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not yet disclosed, had decided to ask the Navy Department for a court martial. This he to-day emphatically denied.

"The only inquiry there is likely to be over this," said Lieut. Kloor, "is one concerning the loss of Government property—the balloon. Regulations prescribe that inquiry shall be held in such cases. And it's the only one we anticipate."

Lieut. Farrell, according to despatches from Canada, received a telegraph message from the Navy Department. But he said to-day "No message of that sort came to me. I did receive some personal telegrams, but that was all. So far as I know no word has come from the Department." Lieut. Kloor corroborated this.

KLOOR HAD AUTHORITY TO TAKE OUT BALLOON.

When Lieut. Kloor was asked in reference to the authorization for the flight and its purpose he said: "As I am a pilot I have the authority to take out a balloon whenever I make the proper request of my commanding officer. This was done, with every adherence to regulations, the day we started. I can take passengers with me, just as I did. I made out a requisition for the use of the balloon, and we started out."

"The intent of the flight was to learn more of the action of balloons, one of the requirements of those who are or are to be pilots of dirigibles. Before a man can become skilled in manipulation of the latter he must know how to handle a free balloon in order to know what to do in case his motors go dead."

"Why did you not stop at Wells, New York, when you learned you were there and how far you had flown?"

"Because the balloon had enough ballast and buoyance to fly all night," was the reply. "We hadn't an idea we'd run into a storm, and this didn't come till after we'd gone well past that town. Then, of course, when the storm broke, we did what every balloon pilot would have done, tried our best to keep up and outside it."

Lieut. Kloor said he had been told that the Hudson Bay Company people would be able to locate the lost balloon and eventually bring it out. As it weighs 800 pounds he went on, it will be necessary to chop a way through the forest.

"They couldn't ever bring it through the trees and underbrush we went through," interposed Farrell. He added that he did not believe the fabric of the balloon would deteriorate markedly before it could be found and conveyed out.

GREETED BY THEIR WIVES AND KLOOR'S FIANCEE. The most important part of the trip of the returned aeronauts occurred shortly after 10 o'clock this morning at Manhattan Transfer. When the train pulled into the station to take on an electric locomotive, there was a large crowd on the platform. Farrell, Hinton and Kloor went out at the request of a moving picture man who had waited ever since the arrival at Mauch Chunk. No sooner were they on the platform than there was a rush toward them and from out of the press came Mrs. Farrell, Mrs. Hinton and Miss Alexandra Flowerton, Lieut. Kloor's fiancée.

What happened then was only what was to be expected, and it seems rather trenching upon personal grounds to relate it. But suffice to say that snoring arms were very much in evidence and the nearest of kisses and, if one had looked closely, a tear or two. The wives of these men, no less than Lieut. Kloor's pretty young fiancée, had been through many distressed hours and no end of uncertainty. They hugged and kissed, even if there was a crowd all about them. When these pleasant ceremonies were ended, at least temporarily, the movie man got his machine into position and shot a hundred feet or so of the happy party. Then all hastened aboard the train and the journey to the Pennsylvania Station was resumed.

In the party with Mrs. Hinton, Mrs. Farrell, Miss Flowerton and Eugene Farrell, the fifteen-year-old son of the lieutenant, were Mrs. R. F. Huppe, Mrs. Peter Talbot, Father York, of St. Bridget's Church, Hightwood; Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Hunt, Cornelius Sheehan and Conrad Engel. They accompanied the party to New York, mercifully granting the reunited husbands and wives a chance to talk in private in the sleeper. Lieut. Kloor and Miss Flowerton were so delighted to be together that they stood in the corridor, quite unconscious of all the people who went brushing past them.

From the time the three navy men left Toronto they received a welcome and a greeting at every station at which they stopped. Lieut. Kloor may have been only a handful of people on a lonesome platform, at others just the wave of a hand from a train man, and again when a little crowd gathered, because all along the line it was known that the aeronauts were on Lehigh Valley train No. 2 and every one wanted a glimpse of them. When the train reached Suspension Bridge there was a detachment of Elks in waiting, because Farrell is an Elk. They had motor cars and escorted the trio across the bridge into American territory, where they took the train again.

"Yes, I'm an Elk," said Farrell, "but I saw so many welcome motor tracks during that hike from the balloon to Moose Factory, and they meant so much to me, even if the water did make me sick, that I have a fondness for the animals, and I think I'll join the Order of Moose just as soon as I can."

There was a celebration in Buffalo, but after that the three men kept rather to themselves for the remainder of the journey, disappointing many persons at wayside stations. The men were tired out and turned in early in their car, Phaleron, in which the three shared a stateroom. They were tardy in getting up this morning and it was almost 9 o'clock still before they appeared for breakfast.

All of the men seemed to be in the best of shape, though they complained of feeling still sore from their long snowshoeing and the intense cold they had to endure. "I guess you'll find us as hard as nails," Lieut. Kloor said. "I feel in better shape than when I started. The only thing I have to show for the exposure is a frostbitten place on the edge of my nose, and Hinton has one on his too."

When the men appeared for breakfast, Lieut. Kloor and Kloor were in the navy blue. Lieut. Hinton was in the forestry green of the service as was Lieut. Evans, a flying comrade who went from Rockaway Point to Toronto to take them the outfit, including the uniforms, which they wore some. At breakfast there was much good-

BENNY LEONARD AND MITCHELL WEIGH FOR BOUT

Boys Are Evenly Matched, Both Making 134 Pounds for Tonight's Contest.

Benny Leonard, lightweight champion of the world, and Richie Mitchell, contender for the title, weighed in at 134 pounds this afternoon for their championship bout to be fought at Madison Square Garden to-night. Both boys tipped the beam at 134 pounds, one pound under the stipulated weight in the articles of agreement.

The advance sale of tickets for tonight's contest has passed the \$100,000 mark and it is expected the final figures will total over \$150,000.

Wire Men in Vienna Strike. VIENNA, Jan. 14.—The postal, telephone and telegraph employees struck today and 2,000 police were sent out to preserve order during street demonstrations incidental to the reopening of parliament. It is feared the strike will spread throughout the communication services, including the railroads.

SEES END OF DEPRESSION.

Louis H. Liggett Tells Advertisers May 1 Will See Normal Times. Louis H. Liggett, principal speaker to-day at a luncheon at the Hotel Metropolitan of the New York Association of Advertising Agents attended by more than 100 members, predicted that by May 1 the process of liquidating stock will have been accomplished by all branches of business and that normal business will then be restored. "The woolen, leather and cotton trades have almost completed liquidation of stocks," said Mr. Liggett, "and business in those lines already is picking up."

Joseph Hanf, President, acted as toastmaster at the largest gathering in the association's history.

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