

Senator Martin, Party Leader, Dies in Virginia

End Comes Rather Unexpectedly, Although His Condition Had Been Critical 2 Weeks; Ill Since July

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., Nov. 12.—Senator Thomas S. Martin, seventy-two, the Democratic leader in the Senate, died here today after an illness of several months.

Representative Flood, Democrat, of Virginia. A delegation appointed by Speaker Gillett to represent the House at the funeral is composed of Representatives Flood, Montague, Saunders, Siemp, Moore, Bland, Holland, Watson, Woods, Harrison, of Virginia; Cannon, of Illinois; Sisson, of Mississippi; Kitchin, of North Carolina; Byrns, of Tennessee; Bowers, of West Virginia; Whaley, of South Carolina, and Wingo, of Arkansas.

Senator Martin had been confined to his bed since last July, when he was forced to give up active work in the Senate after a continuous service of twenty-four years. While his condition had been critical for more than two weeks, the end came rather unexpectedly at 1:30 p. m. Four hours earlier the attending physician had issued a bulletin saying the Senator had spent a good night and was doing better than usual.

Senator Martin suffered from a leaking heart valve and was moved to a hospital here some weeks ago when he grew worse. Two weeks ago his condition became critical and members of

his family were summoned to his bedside, but he rallied within a day or two and later received some visitors and showed a keen interest in public affairs.

Thomas Staples Martin, who had the almost unique distinction of being elected to the United States Senate without ever having held any other political office, was born at Scottsville, Albemarle County, Virginia, July 29, 1847, the son of John Samuel and Martha Ann (Staples) Martin, and was educated at the Virginia Military Institute and at the University of Virginia.

His attendance at the former institution was much interrupted by service with his battalion of cadets in the Confederate army during the last years of the Civil War. He did not complete the course at the university, spending only two sessions there, when the death of his father summoned him home. He then studied law privately while managing his father's business, and was admitted to the bar in the fall of 1869. His purpose was to devote his attention entirely to that profession, in which he soon began to achieve enviable success. But he was irresistibly drawn into politics during the "Readjuster" movement, when General Mahone and Mr. Riddleberger disrupted the Democratic party.

His friend John S. Barbour was chairman of the state committee of the party, and he made Mr. Martin a member of the committee. In that capacity the young lawyer attained state-wide prominence by his opposition to the "Readjuster" movement and his efficient work for the rehabilitation of the regular Democratic party. He persistently declined, however, to accept nomination to office, his only public services being as a member of the board of visitors to the Miller Manual Labor School and to the University of Virginia. Meanwhile he became a prosperous corporation lawyer.

Elected to Senate in 1895

He was finally persuaded by his political and professional friends to enter the contest for United States Senator in December, 1893, for the term beginning in March, 1895. His competitor was General Fitzhugh Lee, and when Mr. Martin won there was a storm of protests against the defeat of a Lee by a newcomer in politics. But shortly after he had taken his seat in the Senate, Mr. Lee was elected to the Virginia legislature, and Mr. Martin was again re-elected for the term beginning in March, 1907.

During his third term, in the tariff session of 1907, he voted with the Republicans no fewer than eighteen times

in favor of various items of the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill. This led to a bitter attack upon him four years later when, in the spring of 1911, the faction led by Senator Bailey, of Texas, put him forward as a candidate for Democratic leader. William J. Bryan interested himself in the fight, urging that because of Mr. Martin's tariff votes he must be beaten at all hazards. Mr. Martin won, however, and in a measure modified his opponents by appointing two pronounced "Progressives," Senators Kern, of Indiana, and Hitchcock, of Nebraska, as members of the steering committee.

In the Democratic primaries of 1911 Senators Martin and Swanson were renominated for the full and short terms respectively by overwhelming majorities over Representatives William A. Jones and Carter Glass, and in March, 1913, Mr. Martin began his fourth term. An effort was made by "Progressive" democrats to prevent his reelection as party leader, but it was defeated, and he was placed at the head of the Committee on Appropriations.

He gave his influence for economy and for the sharpest scrutiny of what he called extravagant and reckless departmental estimates. "We must," he said, "give every dollar that is necessary to win the war. But in God's name don't let us spend money unless it is absolutely necessary." His course so commended him to his constituents that in 1918 he was renominated without opposition and reelected for his fifth term, extending from 1919 to 1925.

Mr. Martin was married in October, 1894, just after his first election as Senator. His bride was Miss Lucy Chambliss Day, daughter of Colonel C. Fenton Day, of Smithfield, near Norfolk, Va., who bore him two children. The following committee was named to attend the funeral:

Senators Swanson, Lodge, Cummins, Knox, Hitchcock, Fletcher, Nelson, Overman, Bankhead, Robinson, Simmons, Smith (Georgia), Smith (Maryland), Underwood, Walsh (Montana), Warren, Smoot and Williams.

Obituary

WARNE SMYTH

Warne Smyth, seventy, a prominent lawyer of Hudson County, N. J., died in Christ Hospital, Jersey City, yesterday afternoon, after undergoing an operation. He was born in Morganville, N. J., and was educated at Glenwood Institute. He studied law in the office of ex-Governor Bedle in Jersey City and was admitted to the bar in 1873. Mr. Smyth was a resident of Union Hill, N. J., for forty years. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mrs. E. Valiant and Miss Sara D. Smyth. The latter having been admitted to the bar, was associated with her father in practice.

MRS. ALICE A. BUTLER

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—Mrs. Alice Augarde Butler, an actress, died in a hospital here last night. Her last appearance was in "Toby's Bow" in this city.

Mr. Butler was born in London forty-one years ago, the daughter of Henry and Elizabeth Augarde and a sister of Amy and Adrienne Augarde, well known English actresses. She made her first appearance in September, 1891, and played for many seasons thereafter with Richard Mansfield in leading roles. Mrs. Butler played with Mrs. Patrick Campbell in "The Sorceress," with Mme. Bertha Kalich and with Henrietta Crossman. She was a member of the Pittsburgh Stock Company and the stock company of the Balcony Theater of Washington, where she took the leading part in "The Gay Lord Quex." Mrs. Butler's home was at 2731 Broadway, New York City.

MARCHIONESS BERADI

ROME, Nov. 12.—The Marchioness Teresa Beradi, sister of Signor Tittoni, Italian Foreign Minister, died today. Numerous messages of condolence have been received at the residence of Signor Tittoni, who is expected to arrive in Rome to-night from Paris, where he has been in attendance upon the Supreme Council of the peace conference.

CHARLES A. LE GRO

PALMER, Mass., Nov. 12.—Charles A. Le Gro, sixty-one, State Representative from the 1st Hampden District in 1914, died yesterday at his home here.

CHARLES JOSEPH LEROY

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 12.—Charles Joseph Leroy, said to have been the oldest man in Canada, died here yesterday at 104. He was born in Versailles, the son of one of Napoleon's soldiers, and fought in the Union army during the Civil War.

LIEUTENANT MONCURE ROBINSON

BALTIMORE, Nov. 12.—Lieutenant Moncure Robinson, forty-three, since November, 1917, assistant naval attaché at the American Embassy in Paris, is dead in Paris, according to a cable message received here yesterday. Lieutenant Robinson was a cousin of Moncure Robinson, of New York, and a member of a family well known in society in Baltimore, New York, Philadelphia and Newport. His mother, the late Mrs. M. Champe Robinson, was for many years a society leader in Baltimore.

Lieutenant Robinson made his home in Paris for the last ten years. In 1904 he married Sarah Sisson Abell at Chester, Pa. Mrs. Robinson received a divorce in Paris in 1916. Lieutenant Robinson is survived by a brother, J. Randolph Robinson, of Wheatley Hills, L. I., and five sisters.

DR. ADOLPH HOERR

MAMARONECK, N. Y., Nov. 12.—Dr. Adolph Hoerr, fifty, a physician of Westchester County, died at his home, 23 Beach Avenue, Mamaroneck, this afternoon of hardening of the arteries. His work during the influenza epidemic last year in Boston brought on his illness.

OBITUARY NOTES

JEREMIAH SULLIVAN, a former member of the staff of "The New York Herald" and "The World," died at his home in Fort Chester, N. Y., yesterday. Mr. Sullivan was a resident of Staten Island for seventy years. **MRS. HELEN VANDERVOORT ROHL**, fifty-three, wife of Frederick Rohl, who is connected with the Cuban Bank, died at her home, 316 West Seventy-ninth Street, after a short illness. The body was taken to the Campbell Funeral Home.

HAMILTON SOUSA ABERT, the infant grandson of John Philip Sousa, the musician, died yesterday in the Hotel Hooley, where his parents live. Burial will take place in the cemetery under the supervision of the Campbell Funeral Home.

WALTER B. SCOUT, fifty-seven, a civil engineer associated with the Pennsylvania Railroad in New York, died Tuesday at his home, 412 Morris Avenue, Elizabeth, N. J. Mr. Scout planned the trackway tubes of the Hudson and Manhattan Company.

MRS. LENA M. HALLOCK, eighty-one, active in charitable and church affairs in the town of Riverhead, L. I., died at her home in Wading River, L. I., where she and her husband, the late Charles R. Hallock, lived for many years.

SAMUEL TWADDELL, for more than twenty-five years connected with the New York Custom House, died Tuesday after a long illness at his home in Woodside, L. I.

JOHN JOSEPH MCGRILL, eighty-two, a veteran of the Civil War, is dead at the home of his sister, Mrs. Elsie Weldon, 533 Franklin Avenue, Brooklyn. He came to this country from Edinburgh, Scotland, and enlisted in the Scottish Highlanders during the Civil War.

CAPTAIN DAVID KELLY, for fifteen years a pilot of one of the Pennsylvania Railroad harbor boats, died yesterday after a long illness at his home in New Brunswick, N. J. He was an officer of the Pilots' Association and was a member of many fraternal orders.

JOHN SHORE, the organizer of the Westchester County Horticultural Society, died at his home in Harrison, N. Y., yesterday.

HARRY KUNICH, fifty-three, of the firm of Morinura Brothers, West Twenty-third Street, died at his home in Plainfield, N. J., Tuesday night of pneumonia. He came to this country from Japan many years ago.

MRS. MARY FRANCES CONDON ENGL-HEANEY, wife of Arthur J. Heaney, an Alderman of the old City of Brooklyn, died Monday in the Broad Street Hospital.

JOSEPH ROBERT STAGE CAMPBELL, twenty-five, a student at the Baylor Medical College, Dallas, Tex., and the son of Dr. W. J. Campbell, of 334 Union Street, Brooklyn, died Monday of meningitis in Dallas.

FREDERICK ADAMS, for thirty years in the United States Army and for the last nineteen years connected with the Highway Department, is dead at his home, 519 Sixty-first Street, Brooklyn. He is survived by his wife and two daughters.

WILLIAM J. PAL, seventy-six, a retired shipbuilder, died yesterday at his home, 19 Hillside Avenue, Jamaica, L. I.

ABRAHAM LESSER, ninety, died yesterday at his home, 136 St. Nicholas Avenue, New York City. He was born in England and came to this country in 1838. He is survived by three sons.

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BIRTHS

CRITCHLEY—To Mr. and Mrs. George Critchley (nee Alice Shaw) at the New Rochelle Hospital, Nov. 10, 1919, a son, a resident of 175 West 10th St., New York City.

TAYLOR—Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Wiley Taylor, of 976 Anderson av., Bronx, announce the birth of a son, Edmund Wiley Taylor, Jr., on Monday, Nov. 10.

DEATHS

late residence, 175 West 12th st., a church of St. Francis Xavier, Friday, Nov. 14, at 9:30 a. m. Interment Calvary.

CRAWFORD—On Tuesday, Nov. 11, George W., husband of Henrietta Denton Crawford, funeral services at his late residence, 175 West 10th St., New York City, Thursday, Nov. 13, 8:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

ENGAGEMENTS

DE CASTRO-TOLEDANO—Mr. and Mrs. L. De Castro, of 125 East 8th St., Brooklyn, announce the engagement of their daughter, Vera Celina, to Dr. Abraham de Castro, of Panama.

FRAD-ROTHMAN—Mr. and Mrs. I. Rothman, of 125 East 8th St., Brooklyn, announce the engagement of their daughter, Made, to Mr. William R. Frad, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Frad, of Brooklyn. At home Sunday, Nov. 16, after 7 p. m. No cards.

HOWE-WARREN—Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Warren, of Clifton, N. J., formerly of East Orange, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marion Howe, to Robert E. L. Howe, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Howe, of White Plains, N. Y. Mr. Howe served in France with the Intelligence section of the 27th Division Headquarters.

MARRIAGES

BAILEY-MUELOY—On November 11 at Yonkers, Mary Adelaide, daughter of the late Daniel S. Muelloy, to William Bailey, of Somers, N. Y.

DORRIS-LIEBENAU—At Jersey City, N. J., on Tuesday, Nov. 11, 1919, by the Rev. John E. Heindel, D. D., Natalie, daughter of Harry H. Liebenau, to Charles Lester Dorris.

HORN-ROSENTHAL—Miss Hannah Rosenthal announces the marriage of her daughter, Sue, to Dr. Benjamin Horn, Tuesday, Nov. 12, at the Hotel Belmont, Baltimore papers please copy.

KAUFMANN-MILUS—On Monday, Nov. 11, at St. Louis, Mo., Dorothy Six Milus to S. Walter Kaufmann.

ROTHEBERG-SPELLMAN—Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Spellman announce the marriage of their daughter, Marguerite Spellman, to Mr. Charles S. Rothberg, on Tuesday, Nov. 11, by the Rev. Dr. Nathan Stern.

DEATHS

ASHMEAD—On Nov. 11, 1919, Percy H. Ashmead, aged 74, at St. Luke's Hospital, New York City, of pneumonia. Philadelphia papers please copy.

BALDWIN—On Nov. 11, 1919, suddenly of pneumonia, at his home, 225 Morris st., Brooklyn, N. Y., David A. Baldwin, at his eighty-eight year funeral services Thursday, Nov. 13, at 8 p. m.

BINGHAM—Suddenly, on November 12, 1919, Annie Freeland, wife of the late George F. Bingham, in the 74th year of her age. Funeral services on Thursday morning, at the Church, Wall st. and Broadway, New York City, on Friday, November 14, at 10:30 a. m. Clergyman's services please copy.

BENOIST-DAZY—Comtesse Benoit Dazy, Caroline Mary Jones, died Nov. 11, of God and humanity, in the service of God and humanity.

BURKE—Alfred M., 1814 Hall st., Brooklyn. Masonic funeral Thursday at 2 p. m. Burial Mackay's parlors, 111st st. and Lenox av., New York City.

BUTLER—Of New York City, November 11, 1919, Alice Augarde Butler, Service Thursday morning, 10:30 o'clock, at the st. Philadelphia, Pa. Interment private.

CHADWICK—At her residence, 23 Cottage av., Mount Vernon, N. Y., on Nov. 11, aged 74 years. Services and interment at Clifton, N. J.

CHURCHMAN—Entered into rest, Nov. 9, 1919, Horace, husband of Charlotte W. Churchman, relatives and friends are invited to the service on Thursday morning, Nov. 13, at 10:30 o'clock, at his late residence, 184 Mackay's parlors, 111st st. and Lenox av., New York City. Burial in the Presbyterian Church, Burlington, N. J., at 3 o'clock. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

CLEARY—On Nov. 10, Anne, widow of William and beloved mother of Mary E. and Anna J. Cleary, funeral from her late residence, 175 West 12th st., New York City, Friday, Nov. 14, at 9:30 a. m. Interment Calvary.

DEUTSCH—Morris, on Nov. 11, brother of Isaac Albert, Jacob, Samuel and Isaac Deutch and Mrs. Hannah Fedman Deutch, son and Mrs. Clara Deutch, funeral services at St. Francis Hospital, 1490 Lexington av., Thursday, 10 a. m.

EPPLER—Samuel A., son of Bertha and Isaac Alexander Eppler and brother of Mrs. Bertha Eppler, funeral services at St. Francis Hospital, 1490 Lexington av., Thursday, Nov. 13, 8:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

ELIASS—On Nov. 11, Siegfried Elias, 64 year old, son of Dr. Adolph Elias, of 175 West 10th St., New York City, Thursday, Nov. 13, at 2 p. m.

GLUCK—Helen, beloved wife of Marcus and dear mother of Morris, Adolph, Walter and Milton Gluck, funeral services at St. Francis Hospital, 1490 Lexington av., Thursday, Nov. 13, at 2 p. m.

GUTHRIE—August J., on November 11, 1919, son of Mrs. J. Guthrie, of 175 West 10th St., New York City, Thursday, Nov. 13, at 2 p. m.

HOOVEN—In his home, Englewood, N. J., Tuesday, November 11, 1919, George W. Hooven, funeral services private, at his late home, Thursday afternoon, November 13.

HUSER—On Monday, Nov. 10, John C. Huser, in his 56th year. Funeral services will be held at Madison Square Church, near 6th av., on Thursday, at 10 a. m.

KIRKPATRICK—Suddenly, on Monday afternoon, Nov. 11, 1919, Marie Joseph Kirkpatrick, beloved wife of George Kirkpatrick, funeral services at the church of St. Thomas's Church, 10 a. m. Interment private.

LANE—On November 11, 1919, at his residence, 247 West 104th st., Frederick E. Lane, Services Friday, November 14, 1 p. m.

LUTHER—Monday, Nov. 10, Walter Emil Luther, aged 74, at 144 St. Nicholas St., on Thursday morning, Nov. 13, 10 o'clock. Interment Greenwood.

MCUIRE—On Nov. 11, at his residence, 144 St. Nicholas St., on Thursday morning, Nov. 13, 10 o'clock. Interment Greenwood.

MORTON—Harry, on November 12, 86 years old, THE FUNERAL CHURCH, 111th St. and Broadway, 6:00 a. m., Thursday 11 a. m.

NICOLL—At her late residence, Great Bay, Long Island, Mrs. Mary Nicoll, daughter of mother of William Augustus and Albert Nicoll, Interment Woodlawn Cemetery.

NIEMANN—Grace, beloved wife of John P. Niemann, at her residence, 100 West 95th st., on Thursday afternoon, solemn requiem mass at 11 o'clock Friday morning at the Holy Name, 4th St. and Amsterdam av.

NIXON—At East Orange, N. J., Tuesday, Nov. 11, 1919, Elizabeth Nixon, 78 years old, funeral services at her home, Thursday, Nov. 13, Interment Calvary.

SCANLON—Nov. 11, Mary Scanlon, nee Gallagher, beloved wife of John Scanlon and sister of Mrs. Nellie Scanlon, funeral services at St. Francis Hospital, 1490 Lexington av., Thursday, 10 a. m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

SHAND—Anne Grace Gordon, at midday Tuesday, Nov. 11, 1919, at her late residence, 175 West 10th St., New York City. Services at the Church of the Transfiguration, 175 West 10th St., New York City, Thursday, Nov. 13, at 10:30 a. m.

SULLIVAN—Suddenly, at Fort Chester, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1919, Joseph S. Sullivan, in his 79th year. Funeral services at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. George P. Horner, 30, Jackson St., Thursday, Nov. 13, at 8 p. m.

WELLS—On Tuesday, November 11, 1919, at St. Luke's Hospital, Henry C. Wells, 74 years old, funeral services at St. Francis Hospital, 1490 Lexington av., Thursday, 10 a. m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

WESTON—Willy, on November 11, 1919, son of Mrs. J. Weston, of 175 West 10th St., New York City, Thursday, Nov. 13, at 2 p. m.

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