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AUTOISTS CHARGE POLICE PURSUER

Chased by Bicycle Officer for Overspeeding, They Turn and Run Him Down.

New York, Jan. 24.—In an attempt to capture an automobile party for overspeeding, Bicycle Policeman Ennis, who wears a score of medals for bravery, has been seriously injured. He was deliberately run down by the autoists.

Ennis sighted four men leaving Central park at 11th street in a machine running forty miles an hour. He rode a motorcycle, and sent it along in the wake of the automobile. To his yell the four men seated in the car shrieked with laughter.

Ennis was gaining slowly on the big car when suddenly it came to a dead halt, and began to back up. Into it Ennis crashed, head on. His machine was shattered and Ennis was whirled headlong into the road, unconscious, bleeding from a dozen deep wounds on head and face. In another instant the big machine was speeding away.

A general police alarm was sent, but the autoists, running at top speed, managed to enter Central Park by a roundabout way and escaped.

MINNESOTA REBATE CASE NEARDICTUM

Prouty Says Donahower Delayed the Cannon Falls Railroad Suit.

Washington, Jan. 23.—During his hearing before the senate committee on commerce last week, C. F. Staples of the Minnesota railway and warehouse commission criticized the interstate commerce commission's decision in the Cannon Falls rebate case, which was heard by it a year ago. The Journal's correspondent today asked Judge Prouty of the commission to make a statement regarding the situation referred to by Mr. Staples. As the result of that request, The Journal is authorized to say:

Last summer the interstate commerce commission was anxious to close up the case, and to that end requested the counsel on each side to prepare for argument. Mr. Donahower, attorney general of Minnesota, representing the complainants, said at that time that he did not desire to make an oral argument, but that he should like to submit a brief. Accordingly, a postponement was ordered, that Mr. Donahower might have time to prepare his brief. On Sept. 27, the case was again called up by the commission, which was anxious to dispose of it, and again Mr. Donahower was not present. Frank B. Hays, representing the defendant railway company, however, appeared before the commission on that day and submitted his argument. Finally, on the 5th of the present month, Mr. Donahower's brief came to hand, thus placing the case where the commission can take it up and dispose of it.

The fault for the delay, it will thus be seen, lies with the attorney general of Minnesota, and not with the interstate commerce commission. Finally, Mr. Staples, in his public criticism of the commission, spoke without accurate information. Judge Prouty says the case involves no novel questions, and that it can now be disposed of in short order, the attorney general having finally submitted his argument. It is expected that the case will be reached on or before Feb. 1.

Volstead and "Drawbacks."

Representative Volstead has been flooded with letters from his constituents and occasionally some newspaper in his district takes a flyer at him, about his proposed bill to regulate drawbacks on wheat. This has wearied Mr. Volstead and he has been explaining how the story that he was going to introduce such a bill came to be printed. He says:

I have always been opposed to granting drawbacks on flour made from mixed imported and domestic wheat, because I believe it would affect the price of the domestic article, and also because I believe there is no authority in law for granting such drawbacks. Discussing this question one day with Mr. McLaughlin and others of the delegation, I stated my position on that question, and also my opposition to the Stevens bonding bill. I said then that I thought there ought to be some specific provision on that point, and was asked as to the kind of a bill I would present to meet the case. I took an old bill on somewhat the same line and drew a rough draft of what I thought such legislation ought to cover, and we talked it over among ourselves. I hadn't any intention of introducing a bill, and believe that the subject was dropped when the general subject of tariff revision is taken up by the leaders of the house.

Martin to Manage Buckman.

In connection with the selection of James A. Martin as postmaster at St. Cloud, Representative Buckman reiterates the statement he made in the dispatch to The Journal last Thursday, that he was planning to introduce a political bill, and he adds that he offered Martin the job because he thought him the man best fitted for the place. Buckman didn't know anything about Martin's intention until a letter was filed before the recommendation was filed, nor did he ask Buckman for the place. Those who have been following the controversy which has arisen over the appointment, are willing to take Buckman's statements at their face value, but they say that Martin's appointment was made with a purpose. They believe Martin is to be Buckman's political manager in the next congressional campaign, and that Buckman appointed him with that in view. The little Illinois man has a hard fight for the nomination in his first campaign, and some trouble in pulling thru last summer, but it is said here that these fights will not be nearly as hard as the one he will have to put up in 1906. Buckman looks to Martin to secure a renomination and re-election to the sixth congress.

Money for Gerlach.

Congressman Lind was largely instrumental in saving a considerable slice of money annually to Lieutenant Colonel Gerlach, the retired army officer detailed for duty with the Minnesota National Guard. When the army appropriation bill was reported it contained a provision that officers above the grade of major should receive only the retired pay of their respective grades. Mr. Lind examined the pay table and found that if this provision were enforced, Lieutenant colonels detailed for this work would receive less than \$250 to \$500 per annum than majors serving in a similar capacity. He therefore suggested to Chairman Hull of the military committee that a proviso should be made that no officer detailed for duty with the militia of any state should receive less than those holding the rank of major and on similar duty. Mr. Hull saw the force of the argument, and the proviso was inserted.

Senator Nelson Busy.

Senator Nelson is one of the busiest men at the capitol. He is in charge of the statehood bill, and made a speech opening the debate upon it which took up the better part of two days in its delivery, and many months in preparation. As a member of the committee on territories, and because of the knowledge gained in his visit to the territory two summers ago, the senator has taken an active part in Alaskan legislation, and has put thru a number of bills affecting that part of the non-contiguous territory of the United States. Added to territorial matters, Senator Nelson, because of his membership on the committee on commerce, has had many a busy day considering the numerous measures sent there, and in the committee on public lands, matters of the greatest importance to our western country are being considered, which require constant attendance at meetings a necessity.

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Mr. Nelson is not satisfied with giving him a place on the three committees named. The senate committee on committees added to Senator Nelson's burdens by making him a member of the committee on judiciary, which has charge of all judicial matters, including nominations of judges, marshals and district attorneys.

All this committee work is in addition to attention to department work and other matters of interest to Minnesotans, which the senior senator from Minnesota, in common with his colleagues from other states, has to handle.

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SALOON MEN BARRED BY THE MINEWORKERS

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 24.—In the Mine Workers convention yesterday, Patrick Dolan of Pittsburgh, led a movement to have the constitutional amendment excluding barkeepers and saloonkeepers from membership lay over for a year. W. H. Haskins of Ohio, led the temperance forces. The debate lasting two hours ended by a decided vote for the immediate operation of the amendment. At the afternoon session of the convention, the national tellers reported

KILLS HERSELF WHEN BABE BEGAN TO CRY

Davenport, Iowa, Jan. 24.—Mrs. George Albrecht, wife of the president of the Davenport Ice company, hanged herself yesterday afternoon, after being aroused from sleep by her baby's crying. She left a hastily written note saying that she was unable to take care of her baby and asking her mother to do so for her. She was only 28. For some time she had been suffering from nervousness, which evidently resulted in temporary dementia.

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Another lot is made up of some of our best garments (odds and ends) and includes sartouts, long fancy belt back coats and the more staple Wiltons in kersey and cheviot. This entire lot is marked for Wednesday at

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\$100 Fur Lined Coats, \$80.	\$40 Coats, \$30.

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