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LACK FORTY-TWO MILLIONS

Results of Democratic Economy in National Finances.

GRASPING INCOME TAX STRAWS

Scathing Democrats Hope the Tax Will Tide Over Affairs Until Congress Again Assembles—Decision Anxiously Awaited.

Washington, April 7.—From the last daily statement issued by the treasury department it appears that the expenditures for the current fiscal year to date, of 230 days, have exceeded the receipts by \$42,299,490, the totals standing: Expenditures, \$284,392,586; receipts, \$242,093,096.

These figures, which embody more than three-fourths of the fiscal year, show that the receipts are running at the rate of \$865,000 a day and the expenditures at the rate of \$1,015,000 a day. If the same ratio obtains for the balance of the fiscal year, the account would stand: Expenditures, \$750,475,990; receipts, \$515,735,000.

This would leave an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$235,000,000. The expenditures are pared down to the lowest limit of economy consistent with fixed appropriations made by law and are likely to be increased rather than diminished. The increases in this fiscal year have arisen from two principal sources, viz.: Appropriations by the last congress made immediately available and the quarterly interest payments on the \$15,000,000 of United States bonds issued within fourteen months to protect and strengthen the treasury gold reserve. So far this month the expenditures on the "Civil and miscellaneous" account, the account that carries the principal items made immediately available by congress, are \$50,000 in excess of the corresponding period last month.

It is therefore to increase receipts that the treasury must turn to bring the treasury receipts and expenditures closer together and bear out the estimate laid before congress which claimed that at the close of the fiscal year the deficiency will then only be \$20,000,000.

Case for Hope.

Important statistics yesterday made public by the bureau of statistics hold out a hope that the increased revenues from sugar duties may come up to the estimates. Indications of a general revival in commercial enterprise are also pointed to as promising equally satisfactory results from other sources of revenue. The question as to what amount of money will or will not be derived from the income tax seems to be the only important doubtful factor left in the treasury calculations, and this can only be solved when the supreme court makes public its decision in an authoritative way. This will probably be done tomorrow, but it is by no means an absolute certainty that the decision will be then rendered.

The treasury has now a total working capital of \$17,000,000, with \$15,000,000 still owing from the bond syndicate. Treasury officials therefore think that the treasury will not become embarrassed even if no revenue from the income tax is derived, and that it will not be necessary to issue any more bonds before congress will assemble in December and provide revenue from other sources.

CLOUDS OF WAR IN EUROPE.

Emperor William Threatens to Take Up Arms Against Russia—Sweden and Norway to Fight.

Berlin, April 7.—The maturing conflict between Norway and Sweden has given rise to strange reports in Berlin. Since Tuesday it has been a common statement that, should the two kingdoms resort to force, Emperor William would take up arms rather than permit the threatened interference of Russia. He is said to have promised King Oscar as much. Although the official circle credits this report, the mere thought of it has sufficed to fasten general attention upon the swift course of events in the Scandinavian peninsula.

Yesterday's dispatches from Stockholm, while not confirming the predictions of war, describe the situation as very serious. Russia's attitude is in doubt, but as usual she is suspected of designs upon Norway.

With the alarmist rumors of the emperor's promise to King Oscar has come a batch of gossip as to the relations between St. Petersburg and Berlin. The two courts are supposed to be less friendly now than a few years ago. The statement that the czar and zarina will not come to Berlin this year is regarded as an additional proof of the estrangement, although, as the czar's attachment is expected to take place early in September, it is difficult to see how the visit could be made even if an alliance.

BOYCOTTED BY SALESMEN.

Revenge of the Drummers for an Unjust Verdict.

Savannah, Ga., April 7.—As the result of the recent acquittal of Sheriff McAllister, of Fort Gaines, of the charge of murder in shooting and killing Drummer Hyatt, one of the most popular traveling men of Georgia, all drummers are boycotting Fort Gaines. No drummer will now stop there over night who can possibly get out of the town even by driving, and enforced business visits are made as brief as possible. The drummers have adopted a course of expressing their condemnation of the jury's verdict.

CASE AT LA CROSSE.

Prisoners in the House with a Corpse Three Months.

La Crosse, Wis., April 7.—Mrs. Mary King at La Crosse, Minn., on the river from this city, has never since Christmas without a visitor, and what is stranger still, a living in the same house since the death of her husband several years ago. She did not know it until yesterday, when his black and white dog was found dangling from the door in the upper story of the house. She told the story before the coroner's jury it was both strange and pathetic.

The day before Christmas, right after breakfast, her husband left the house,

BRIT GLENN RUNS AMUCK

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Several are Wounded—After Holding the Officers at Bay Until His Ammunition is Exhausted the Murderer is Captured.

GROVER IS REALLY ANGRY.

Resents the Insultation That He Has Ever Skated Except on Ice, and Scores Ministers and Newspapers.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 7.—Brit Glenn, commonly known as "Kid Charlie," a negro gambler and desperado, ran amuck here early this morning, and as a result two men are dead and three wounded, one of them probably fatal. The killed are: Napoleon Stueck, negro porter, shot in the throat and his neck broken; Edward Minor, policeman. The wounded are: Jim Clemons, a negro; James Minor, lieutenant of police, and a negro named Black. Clemons will probably die. Stueck was the first man killed by Glenn, and it was while resisting arrest that he killed the policeman. Stueck was killed about 1 o'clock this morning in "Rabbit Foot" saloon, a notorious negro dive on West Bay street.

A crowd of negroes were in the saloon and Glenn drew a pistol on another negro. Stueck jokingly said that he would take the pistol away from Glenn, and advanced toward him. He passed by Glenn, however, and went toward a room in the back of the saloon. As he neared the door he turned around, and Glenn pulled out his pistol and fired, and Stueck fell dead. No words passed between the two men, and no quarrel of any kind was heard.

Glenn turned and fled, pursued by a large crowd of negroes who soon lost sight of him in the darkness.

The Hunt for Glenn.

Shortly afterward Lieutenant Minor, Sheriff Bowden and other officials began an organized hunt for Glenn, and about 5 o'clock this morning they started their game. "Kid Jim," one of the negroes who accompanied the lieutenant, followed him and he found the negro hiding on a lighter in a creek. The murderer ran, followed by a crowd of people. Glenn was finally run down in a barn, where he took refuge in a loft behind a pile of lumber, which formed an effective barricade. Lieutenant Minor called on Glenn to surrender, and the negro answered with a shot. The officers returned the fire, emptying their pistols, but the negro was effectually protected by the lumber.

"Kid Jim" was hit in the thigh by a bullet from Glenn's pistol. A policeman Minor was shot through the heart and killed. A little hotbullet entered the door, only to receive a bullet in his thigh, which, however, did not inflict a serious wound. The fusillade had now continued for ten minutes and of the four men who accompanied the lieutenant, only one remained. The negro was wounded. Lieutenant Jim Minor (another police officer, however, was still in the barn firing at Glenn, who was in safety behind the lumber. Suddenly Glenn rose up and fired and dropped back behind the lumber. Then Lieutenant Minor felt his ankle give way and knew he was wounded.

Desperado Surrenders.

But the shot that wounded the lieutenant had exhausted Glenn's ammunition, and the next moment he called out: "Lieutenant, I will give up, if you won't let them kill me."

"All right," replied Minor, "throw down your pistol and come down."

The negro obeyed and the next minute Lieutenant Minor led the prisoner from the barn.

The officer led the negro toward the city hall, which was more than a mile away, followed by an immense crowd clamoring for the man's blood. Near the city hall a policeman Holland approached with pistol drawn, screaming he would kill the negro and avenge his brother officer. The lieutenant placed his pistol against Holland's head and said: "This man is a prisoner. If you shoot him I will blow out your brains." So Lieutenant Minor brought the negro safely to jail.

This was 8 o'clock, and by 9 there were rumors that a mob was forming to storm the jail and lynch the negro. The mob was said to be composed of negroes as well as white men, as the former were enraged over the killing of Stueck by Glenn. This rumor proved to be untrue, but the officials in order to run up risk, removed the murderer secretly from the jail to St. Augustine, where he was placed in jail. Brit Glenn, the murderer, is about 35 years old and is noted among the negroes as a desperate man.

GOVERNOR HAD A GUN.

As the Result of Disgusting Insults He Produced the Weapon.

Little Rock, Ark., April 7.—Governor James P. Clarke and Representative W. R. Jones, of Marion county, had an altercation in the lobby of Gleason's hotel this afternoon, which came near resulting in a very serious affair. Yesterday when the charges of bribery were made in the house of representatives against certain members in connection with the railroad commission bill, Mr. Jones rose to a question of privilege, and stated that Governor Clarke was responsible for the charges; that he had gone about in the dark, like an assassin with a knife in his sleeve, stabbing in the back men who were his peers in every respect.

About 2 o'clock this afternoon Governor Clarke called at Gleason's hotel, where he met Jones in the lobby. He requested a private interview with Jones in order that he might have an understanding with him. Jones replied that he would go nowhere with him, and that if he had any business with him he could transact it where there were. This angered the governor, and he spat in Jones' face. Jones spat back at the governor, who drew a large pistol, but was prevented from shooting by several bystanders. Clarke was arrested by a constable, but was released after some recognition. The governor will plead guilty tomorrow in a justice court to assault.

UNDONE BY A STREET BAND

Fondness for Music Leads to a Young Forger's Arrest.

Doylestown, Pa., April 7.—The arrest of a street band led to the arrest of Titus Kulp, the young man who recently gained notoriety by forging checks to the amount of \$50. Young Kulp was standing on the steps of his boarding house, 229 North Seventh street, Philadelphia, last evening listening to the strains of the itinerant musicians when he was observed by Deputy Sheriff Kelly, of this place, who had a bench warrant for Kulp's arrest.

Kulp made no resistance, and was here at once and lodged in the county jail.

BUNCOED THE BANKERS.

Unsophisticated Wilkes-Barre Loan Money to a Strange Young Man of Pleasing Address.

Wilkes-Barre, April 7.—Thomas S. Shaw, alias Ralph F. St. John, stepped into the Wilkes-Barre National Bank on Friday last and asked the cashier if he could open an account with them. On being informed that the bank was open for business he then went on to say that he had \$2,500 on deposit in the Central National bank of New York, and would like to have the bank open an account with them. The cashier, who was named St. John, a few minutes later left the bank, and returned on Saturday morning. Stepping up to the cashier's window he informed him that he was in need of \$25. His story being believed, he one and his general appearance being very good he money was advanced to him. He thanked the cashier and departed.

The draft given the day before was sent to the bank's correspondent in New York, but up to this time no reply had been received. Later in the day a telegram was received from New York stating that no such man as Ralph F. St. John was known and that the draft was bogus. A warrant was procured, and St. John was found at the Harvey hotel by a detective, who placed him under arrest. On being confronted with the telegram in the officers' room in the bank, he asserted that there was a mistake somewhere, but before he left the place he broke down and said that his name was not St. John but Thomas S. Shaw. He refused \$25 and begged for mercy. The bank officials, however, determined that he should be

STATE PARAGRAPHS.

A razor was found hidden in the necktie of murderer Charles Carrett by the jail authorities at Lebanon.

The employees of the W. J. Rainey Coke works at Uniontown, have received an advance and returned to work.

While cooking supper Miss Edith Longbaugh, of Huntingdon, was burned to death by the upsetting of a pan of lard.

The Rt. Rev. Mark Antony De Wolfe Howe, bishop of the Central Diocese of Pennsylvania of the Episcopal church, is celebrating his eighty-seventh birthday at Reading.

Captain James Wiley has given \$5,000 to St. Luke's hospital, Bethlehem, as an endowment fund in memory of his wife, to be known as the Annie Lewis Wiley endowment fund.

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"At Christmas he gave his wife and my wife and myself each an elegant gold watch and also chains. He explained the matter by telling us of a wealthy uncle in Baltimore. I knew nothing of the matter or where he got the goods until he was arrested, but told A. Welsh, on whose farm I live, and through him Mr. Pope learned of my suspicions.

"I regret the publicity of the matter and with my wife and daughter feel deeply the disgrace.

"We never saw much of Warbeck, but he was a very pleasant man, and made friends with all our family, for at Christmas time he gave nineteen gold rings among them."

FOREIGN NEWS NOTES.

John Sweetman, anti-Farrellite member of parliament for the division of Wicklow, has resigned his seat.

At the West London police court recently one woman was fined two pence (2 cents) for damaging the hat of another in a street scuffle.

A movement is on foot in England to send frozen salmon from British Columbia to Sydney, Australia, whence they could be transported by fast steamers to British ports.

The number of divorce cases in France is steadily on the increase, 9 per cent of the suits being brought by women. Bad treatment, insult and assault are the principal causes.

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MRS. ROLF'S FORTUNE.

The Trick Woman's Wealth Astonished Appraisers.

Terre Haute, Ind., April 7.—When the appraisers began appraising the estate of Mrs. Hannah Rolf Saturday, they ex-

THEY ROBBED CAIN.

Shoe Dealer Forced by Burglars to Give up \$500.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 7.—A. C. W. Cain, a boot and shoe dealer dealer of Wilkensburg, a suburb of this city, was robbed of \$500 by two men last night. Cain had closed his store and placed the money in the safe. A rap on the door was answered by Cain, who thought it was a customer who had left a pair of shoes.

Instead it was two men. They held revolvers at Cain's head and forced him to open his safe. After the safe was opened the burglars bound and gagged Cain and took all the money in the safe, about \$500. The police are searching for the men.

MURDER OF A MISER.

Henry Bonneka's Head is Smashed to a Jelly by Unknown Thugs Who Were in Search of Plunder.

Altoona, Pa., April 7.—Henry Bonneka, aged 65 years, an eccentric German and a reputed miser, was found murdered this afternoon in a room he occupied at 192 Sixteenth street. Some friends called upon Bonneka this afternoon, and receiving no response to their knocking, looked through the window of the room in which Bonneka lived. They saw him stretched upon the floor with his head bashed almost to a jelly, and lying in a pool of blood. The police were notified and they broke in the room door. On the floor was found a bloody hatchet and a club clotted with blood and brains.

Bonneka had been employed for the past twenty-five years in the shops of the Pennsylvania railroad here. He was almost a recluse and lived alone in one room. He was reputed to have considerable money hidden in his room and, as he was very abstemious in his habits, and spent but little, the report of hidden wealth was generally credited here. That to possess the supposed wealth of the aged German was the motive of the crime is evident from the condition of the room and the pockets of all Bonneka's wearing apparel were cut out, the lining ripped open, the carpet torn from the floor, and the mattress of the bed cut to pieces.

It is not known whether the murderers obtained any money, and there is no clue to their identity. The coroner's jury this afternoon returned a verdict of murder by parties unknown.

ANOTHER WIFE MURDERED.

Walter Scott Shoots His Wife and Then Commits Suicide.

Wichita, Kan., April 7.—Walter Scott shot and killed his wife in the entrance of the Christian church at noon today, and then placed the pistol in his mouth and fired a bullet into his brain. Both died instantly. Scott was 21 years old, and his wife 19. The tragedy occurred just as the worshippers were leaving the church, and was witnessed by a large number of people.

Scott and his wife were married two years ago, but the young man's dissipated habits caused his wife to leave him. Recently Scott decided to reform and today attended religious services. After the congregation was dismissed, the murderer and suicide met his wife, who was accompanied by her father. He pleaded with her to return to him, but Mrs. Scott declined to accede to his wishes. Immediately following this declaration Scott drew his revolver and fired.

ELECTRICAL WORKS BURN.

Clark and Wheeler Establishment at Newark Destroyed.

Newark, N. J., April 7.—Clark & Wheeler electrical works near the Amper Station, on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad, five miles west of this city, were destroyed by fire this morning. Over \$50,000 worth of motors and dynamos, which were stored in the building, were destroyed, along with about \$30,000 worth of machinery.

The building, a brick structure, 300 feet by 40 feet, was burned to the ground. The total loss will amount to about \$110,000, on which there was an insurance of \$30,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Free Collage Convention.

St. Paul, Minn., April 7.—It is stated tonight that there will be a free collage convention in St. Paul this summer. The convention will be planned on broad lines and will take in every Democrat and Republican who desires to participate, providing an honest and adequate free collage or known to be favorably disposed toward the white metal.

McKinley's Eastern Tour.

Columbus, O., April 7.—Governor McKinley left for the east at midnight tonight. He addresses a Republican club at Hartford, Conn., on Tuesday night.

Spring Wheat All Right.

Omaha, Neb., April 7.—Another fine rain fell last night and nearly all day today in all parts of the state, thus making a good crop of spring wheat certain.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

A change for the better has taken place in the case of Hon. H. Mansur, deputy controller of the treasury, and last night his physicians said there was a chance for his recovery.

Secretary Gresham and Senator Gray accepted an invitation from the Virginia Pilot association yesterday and took a sail to the capes on the pilot boat William A. Graves. The day was warm and delightful and the trip very much enjoyed.

CAUGHT FROM THE WIRES.

Dr. Buchanan, the New York murderer, is to be electrocuted on the 23d inst. Lawyer Howe won't appeal his case.

Quarantine has been declared by Evansville, Ind., against Shawneetown, Ill., because of the smallpox epidemic there.

Upon the jury in the Taylor lynching case having a disagreement at Carrollton, Mo., the crowd roared and hissed.

A reduction of wages among miners throughout the Flat Top region of West Virginia is likely to cause a general strike.

The death sentence of Daniel Shawn, who killed his brother-in-law in Hampshire county, W. Va., was commuted to life imprisonment.

Secretary McBryde, of the United Mine Workers, is likely to resign because the convention at Columbus, O., ignored his recommendations.

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Pittston, April 7.—The borough of Hughestown, a suburb of the city of Pittston, was thrown into a great state of excitement this quiet Sunday morning at 9:30, on the discovery of the corpse of a murdered woman, which was found at the residence of George Windish, on Center street.

Neighbors were summoned to the scene and identified the body as that of Elizabeth Windish, the wife of George Windish. Several stories as to who had committed the deed were current. A jury were empaneled by Coroner James Gibbons and sent to view the scene of the murder. The Windish family were composed of the father, mother, and three children, George Frank and Sophia, aged respectively 17, 12 and 10 years.

Windish and his wife had been missing for several days. Their absence caused no comment, as they had often before left home without warning and remained away for several days.

This morning the oldest son, George, became suspicious and began a search about the premises. He soon discovered, by peeping through the blinds from the outside, a bulky object in an unused parlor, covered over with a Brussels carpet.

A Ghastly Spectacle.

The neighbors were notified of the youth's suspicions. J. F. Smalts being the first upon the scene, found an entrance to the room by an inner door, which had always been kept locked and which the children had not been allowed to enter.

A ghastly sight met the gaze of the intruders as the carpet was raised. There, lying on the floor, face down in a pool of blood, was the corpse of the murdered woman.

Several cuts were found about the head and face. The walls and ceiling of the room in which the murder had been committed were spattered with many blood stains, giving evidence that a terrible struggle must have occurred. Upon further search the clothing usually worn by Windish was found blood-stained in a bed room. The pants had been secreted beneath the mattress of the bed; the rubber boots were found under the bed, and a blood-stained vest was found hanging inside out on a chair near by.

A child nearly eighteen inches long and one and a half inches wide was found covered with blood between the covering of the bed.

The last time Mrs. Windish was seen alive was last Thursday noon at 12 o'clock.

The Supposed Murderer.

Windish had been for many years employed as miner at No. 8 shaft of the Pennsylvania Coal company. About two weeks ago Windish gave up his work and had been making plans to take one of his frequent trips to Jersey City, where he had made several efforts to secure money by mortgaging the little home, to which his spouse objected.

He was of German descent and had made several trips to the old country, where he would purchase fancy baskets, etc., which his wife would sell from door to door, and thereby came well known to the people of this vicinity.

Windish, the husband of the murdered woman, was last seen at his home soon after 1 o'clock on Thursday. He came out of the house attired in a light gray suit of clothes, a blue overcoat and a Fedora hat. He walked rapidly away from his home toward the central part of the city, where he was again noticed about 3 o'clock. The children were absent from the house at that hour. The boys were at work at No. 8 breaker and the daughter was at school. Upon their return home they found the house deserted, but did not pay much attention to the absence of their parents, as they had heard them speak of a contemplated visit to Hazleton. In the oven of the kitchen stove the children found a loaf of bread that had been burned to a crisp. They borrowed food of the near neighbors and seemed to think that there was nothing unusual in the disappearance of their parents.

Evidently Premeditated.

Examination of the house today showed that the fight between Mr. and Mrs. Windish must have commenced in the dining room, as there were blood stains on the wall. The murderous husband had evidently pursued the woman into the parlor, where the work was finished.

Drs. McFadden and Barrett viewed the body and found many wounds on the head sufficient to cause the certain death. There was a wound on the temple, on the back of the head; one ear was cut nearly off and the skull was broken in several places.

Windish appears to have been an individual of British instincts. He had frequently made threats against his wife. About a year ago, during the progress of a row, he struck her four times with a mallet and undoubtedly would have killed her then but for the interference of his son and a young woman who was visiting the house at the time.

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Mrs. Rolf left her husband ten days ago because he was said to be showing evidences of an insanely murderous purpose towards her. She was 65 years of age, and the couple had spent, the past five years on a small garden truck farm near the city. Mrs. Rolf left a will giving one-third to her husband. The remainder goes to her nearest kin, a sister in Germany.

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"At Christmas he gave his wife and my wife and myself each an elegant gold watch and also chains. He explained the matter by telling us of a wealthy uncle in Baltimore. I knew nothing of the matter or where he got the goods until he was arrested, but told A. Welsh, on whose farm I live, and through him Mr. Pope learned of my suspicions.

"I regret the publicity of the matter and with my wife and daughter feel deeply the disgrace.

"We never saw much of Warbeck, but he was a very pleasant man, and made friends with all our family, for at Christmas time he gave nineteen gold rings among them."

FOREIGN NEWS NOTES.

John Sweetman, anti-Farrellite member of parliament for the division of Wicklow, has resigned his seat.

At the West London police court recently one woman was fined two pence (2 cents) for damaging the hat of another in a street scuffle.

A movement is on foot in England to send frozen salmon from British Columbia to Sydney, Australia, whence they could be transported by fast steamers to British ports.

The number of divorce cases in France is steadily on the increase, 9 per cent of the suits being brought by women. Bad treatment, insult and assault are the principal causes.

Windish had evidently been planning the murder of his wife, as it was learned today that he had mortgaged his property for