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DUTLER LOSES HIS SEAT

Democrats Resolve to Filibuster Until End of Session.

BEGIN OBSTRUCTIVE TACTICS.

House Wastes Three Hours in Approving Journal of the Day Preceding—Plan is Now On to Hold Continuous Session Until March 4.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Amid scenes which recalled the memorable and exciting days of the Fifty-first congress, when party feeling ran fiercely and the hall of representatives resounded with denunciations of the alleged "high-handed methods of the majority," James J. Butler of Missouri was unseated yesterday by the house and George C. R. Wagoner was seated in his place. The Democrats had decided at their caucus yesterday morning that if this case was called up they would prosecute a filibuster from now until March 4, regardless of consequences upon legislation, and they began the fight as soon as the gavel fell at noon. Roll call followed roll call and it took over three hours to approve the journal of Wednesday's proceedings. Then, when the desks were cleared, the case was called. A spirited debate of two hours followed and finally, after repeated roll calls, the case was brought to a vote. The Democrats then attempted to block things by leaving the hall, but enough absentees finally were brought in to make up the necessary quorum. The closing chapter was dramatic. Datzell, who was in the chair, refused to recognize a demand for division, and Richardson, the minority leader, stood in his place and denounced his course in unmeasured terms, amid the jeers of the Republican side. The handful of Democrats present were overridden roughshod and Wagoner was seated.

The Republican leaders, in declining to force this case to a vote, did so with a perfect realization of the embarrassment which would follow if the Democrats carried out their filibuster threats, and they have arranged a program to reduce the minority's obstructive power to a minimum as far as the appropriation bills are concerned. This is to be accomplished by a special rule, which has been tentatively prepared, by which all the preliminary parliamentary steps for getting appropriation bills with senate amendments into conference can be cut off. But later in the afternoon Republicans interested in the public building bill threatened to vote against the rule unless it made provision for the bill. This disturbing factor in the situation has not been straightened out. The Republican program also includes a proposition to continue the legislative day of yesterday until noon March 4, in order to obviate the long and tedious work of approving the journal under filibustering tactics. A recess was taken last night until 11 o'clock today and a rule has been prepared which hereafter will give a motion to recess precedence over a motion to adjourn. Under the operation of these drastic measures, it is believed that none of the appropriation bills or other necessary measures will be jeopardized, but the present situation undoubtedly sounds the death knell of many minor measures.

Fire in New York.

New York, Feb. 27.—Several firemen were hurt, one perhaps fatally, at a fire in an eight-story building at Broadway and Thirteenth street yesterday. The property loss is estimated at \$250,000. Captain John Andros of an engine company, while at work on the fire, fell through an open shaft, striking on his head. He was thought to be fatally injured, his head being crushed. He was taken to a hospital.

Bowen Signs Mexican Protocol.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Mr. Bowen last night signed the protocol for the settlement of the claims of Mexico against Venezuela.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

Conrad N. Jordan, assistant treasurer of the United States at the sub-treasury in New York, died Thursday. Patrick R. Fitzgibbon, city registrar of St. Louis, recently suspended from office on charges of corruption, preferred by Mayor Wells, was tried before the city council Thursday and acquitted.

A cure for leprosy is reported by United States Consul McWade at Canton, who reports that Dr. Adolf Razlag has successfully treated three out of four cases there with strong antiseptic drugs, sea water and sunlight.

ROOSEVELT PAYS TRIBUTE.

Attends Anniversary Celebration of Birth of John Wesley.

CROWDS HEAR THE PRESIDENT.

Methodists Hold Monster Mass Meeting at Carnegie Hall in New York to Celebrate Wesley's Life for the Religious World.

New York, Feb. 27.—President Roosevelt was the chief speaker last night at a great mass meeting at Carnegie hall, held to do honor to the character and labors of John Wesley, the founder of Methodism, scholar, missionary, philanthropist, preacher, gentleman. The meeting was held under the auspices of the New York thank offering commission, which has had charge of the local work of the Twentieth century thank offering fund of \$20,000,000, that has been raised by the Methodists throughout the country to celebrate the advent of the Twentieth century of the Christian era. The hall was crowded to the doors and hundreds were unable to gain admittance. President Roosevelt reached the hall, escorted by a detachment of mounted police, at 8:30. Cheers and hand clapping announced the arrival of President Roosevelt, who advanced from the rear of the platform, accompanied by the presiding officer of the meeting, Mr. Bowne. Chairman Bowne then announced the hymn, "Blow Ye the Trumpet, Blow," by Charles Wesley. Bishop Cyrus D. Foss of Philadelphia then led the meeting in prayer, closing with the Lord's prayer, in which a mighty volume of voices joined. Mr. Bowne made a short address, in which he said that Methodism is constantly growing, except possibly in a few remote cities on the Atlantic seaboard. Mr. Bowne introduced President Roosevelt, the audience rising to greet him.

President Roosevelt said in part:

"I am glad to have the chance of addressing this representative body of the great church which Wesley founded, on the occasion of the commemoration of the 200th anniversary of his birth. In celebrating the wonderful growth of Methodism, in rejoicing at the good it has done to the country and to mankind, I need hardly ask a body like this to remember that the greatness of the fathers becomes to the children a shameful thing if they use it only as an excuse for inaction instead of as a spur to effort for noble aims. I speak speak to you as American citizens. The pioneer days are over. We now all of us form parts of a great civilized nation, with a complex industrial and social life and infinite possibilities both for good and for evil. The instruments with which, we work, have changed immeasurably from what they were in the days when the rough backwoods preachers ministered to the moral and spiritual needs of their rough backwoods congregations. But if we are to succeed, the spirit in which we do our work must be the same as the spirit in which they did theirs. These men drove forward, and fought their way upward, to success, because their sense of duty was in their hearts. In the very marrow of their bones. The church Wesley founded has throughout its career been a church for the poor as well as for the rich and has known no distinction of persons. It has been a church whose members, if true to the teachings of its founder, have sought for no greater privilege than to spend and be spent in the interest of the higher life, who have preferred themselves, not on shirking rough duty, but on undertaking it and carrying it to a successful conclusion. "I come here tonight to greet you and to pay my tribute to your past because you have deserved well of mankind, because you have striven with strength and courage to bring nearer the day when peace and justice shall obtain among the peoples of the earth." At the conclusion of his address, the president was heartily applauded. The hymn, "See How Great a Flame Aspires," was then sung. During the singing, President Roosevelt retired from the hall.

On leaving the meeting at Carnegie hall President Roosevelt entered his carriage and was driven to the University club, accompanied by Secretary Loeb, Surgeon General Rixey and Commander Cowles, and escorted as before by mounted police.

At the University club the president met President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia and J. B. Bishop, with whom he conversed at length. The presidential party left the University club for Jersey City at 11:15 p. m.

WIFE SLAYER TELLS 'ALL.

Indianapolis Man Confesses to Killing Five Women.

TWO OF THEM WERE HIS WIVES.

Alfred Knapp Admits Wholesale Murder Because of Mad Desire—Other Crimes Now Laid to Him—Served Five Terms in Prison.

Hamilton, O., Feb. 27.—Alfred Knapp, the Indianapolis man arrested Wednesday, who confessed to the murder of his third wife, has made a full confession of five murders. Among them is that of Ida Gebhard, the West Indianapolis girl who was found murdered in a stable in 1895. Knapp's confession, which was sworn to before Mayor Bosch, is as follows: "On Jan. 21, 1894, I killed Emma Littleman in a lumber yard in Gest street, Cincinnati. On Aug. 1, 1894, I killed May Eckert in Walnut street, opposite the Young Men's Christian association, in Cincinnati. On Aug. 7, 1894, I killed my wife, Jennie Connors Knapp, under the canal bridge in Liberty street, Cincinnati, and threw her into the canal. In Indianapolis in July, 1895, I killed Ida Gebhard. On Dec. 22, 1902, I killed my wife, Annie Knapp, at 339 South Fourth street in Hamilton and threw her into the river out by Lindenwald. This is the truth."

Another chapter was added to Knapp's confessed career last night, when he asserted that he was implicated in several hold-ups here last December. Knapp was asked why he committed his various crimes and how he felt when he was choking a woman to death. He said: "I can't tell. I was seized with an irresistible desire to choke them and I can't help it. I could not let go when I once began if I wanted to. I never feel any remorse, only a feeling of satisfaction when I know that they are dead. I used my hands in every case, except that of Mary Eckert. I choked that woman with a towel, but I could have done it with my hands. I got acquainted with Mary in Dayton, O., through an advertisement and when she went to Cincinnati I visited her room and choked her to death in one night."

Every doctor who has seen Knapp here agrees that he is a person similar to "Jack the Ripper," except that he finds satisfaction in choking women and children.

Knapp's confession stamps him as the most depraved criminal on earth since the crimes of H. H. Holmes were laid bare in 1895. Knapp has served five prison sentences, three for larceny and two for assault. He has served two terms at Jeffersonville, Ind., one at Columbus, O., one at Joliet, Ill., and one at Michigan City, Ind., to which prison he was sent from Indianapolis in 1896 for assault on Bessie Draper, a child.

The Indianapolis police feel sure he has been guilty of two barn burnings. When he was convicted for the Draper assault, he threatened to get even with every one concerned in his conviction.

Ex-Sheriff Womack, then sheriff, gained his enmity. His barn was recently burned and several thousand dollars' worth of fine horses and imported cattle were roasted to death.

At Boardman was one of the jurors who convicted him. His barn was burned about six or seven weeks ago.

URNS ON HIS ASSAILANT.

While Being Brutally Tortured Victim Kills His Enemy.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—After torturing a man he had already wounded three times, Henry Carr was killed last night by James Fletcher, his victim. The struggle which preceded the killing took place in the kitchen of Carr's home, the only witness being a boy, a brother of Carr's wife. Carr was intent on murder because he believed Fletcher had broken up his home. In his pocket was found a letter from Mrs. Carr, who begged forgiveness and expressed her intention of committing suicide. Fletcher, it is believed, will recover.

Alexander Towed Into Port.

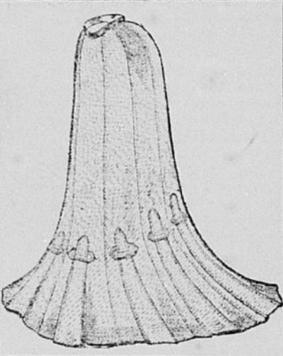
Washington, Feb. 27.—Captain Cove, commanding the collier Alexander, which has been adrift for the past two weeks with a broken shaft, yesterday reported by cable to the navy department from Hamilton, Bermuda, that he had been towed into that port by the Dutch steamer Beta. He added that he had a spare shaft aboard and would make repairs in that port. The Alexander was on her way from San Juan, P. R., to Norfolk, when the accident happened.

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DECREE IN BIG LAND CASE.

Judge Munger Dismisses All Defendants Except Railroad Company.

Omaha, Feb. 27.—Judge Munger has made a decree in the case of the United States against the Sioux City and Pacific Railroad company and others, in which he dismissed the bill of complaint against all respondents except the railroad company, thus confirming the title of the present holders to the land in litigation and leaving the government to recover damages in money from the company in case the pending suit is successful. The case is one instituted about two years ago, wherein the United States seeks to have a patent to about 600 acres of land in Washington and Burt counties, issued by the government to the railroad company, set aside. It is alleged in the bill of the government that the land was wrongfully entered by the railroad, as previous to the construction of the road it had been entered as homesteads by various persons.

Abe E. Beggs, for twenty-three years head bookkeeper in the hog department of the Armour Packing company at Kansas City, died Thursday, aged fifty-seven years. He was widely known among stockmen throughout the country.

Washington, Feb. 27.—

Brigadier General Francis Moore, probably, will be assigned to command the Department of the Visayas as the relief of Brigadier General F. D. Baldwin, who is coming to the United States to assume command of the Department of the Colorado, with headquarters at Denver. General Funston, now in command of the latter department, is to be transferred to Vancouver barracks, to command the Department of the Columbia.

Warships Agitate Chinese.

Paris, Feb. 27.—A steamer which has arrived at Marseilles with the Chinese mail also brought advices from Canton to the effect that the Cantonese have been agitated over the arrival there of two American warships, which gave rise to the report that the United States desired to secure the small island of Hainan, occupying a strategic position in front of Canton. The Chinese and some of the foreigners credited the report.

Rolls Breaks Auto Record.

London, Feb. 27.—Stewart Rolls, the well known automobilist, has broken the world's automobile record for a kilometer, covering the distance in twenty-seven seconds. This result was accomplished at a private party given by the Duke of Portland yesterday on his Wallback abbey estate. The time was taken by officials of the Automobile Club.

Bowlers Elect Officers.

Indianapolis, Feb. 27.—J. J. Rowe, mayor of Lakewood, a suburb of Cleveland, was elected president of the American Bowling congress yesterday by a vote of 117 to 84. Other officers elected follow: First vice president, C. F. Mell, Milwaukee; second vice president, H. N. Fowler, St. Paul; secretary, Samuel Karpf, Dayton; treasurer, Frank Pasteloupe, Chicago. At midnight, when bowling for the day closed in the national tournament, thirty-nine men had bowled for the individual championship. There are 175 entries. The contest will close today. R. W. Nessler, Chicago, is high pin, with 604.

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