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OPENING OF PEACE NEGOTIATIONS ARE DELAYED

Postponed Until May 20th by the Non-Arrival Of Mexicans

Tenderfoot Delaware Governor Comes Back to His First Love

Charles R. Miller, governor of Delaware and the only Republican elected in that state at the last general election, is visiting Tonopah in company with J. S. Austin, president of the Tonopah Mining company.

time to come to Tonopah very often, but he is not a tenderfoot by any means, as he was one of the first to put up for development of the camp when the future was clouded in doubt.

harks back to 1901, when the governor was riding in on the hurricane deck of a Concord coach where he could inhale the scenery in great gobs as the horses plunged through the bottomless dust.

Before leaving Sodaville the governor was reproached with being a tenderfoot and told his critic that he would bet the drinks on arrival at Tonopah that at the first stopping place somebody would know him.

The coach plowed along until it anchored at Summit, eighteen miles from Sodaville. Miller swung himself down from his lofty perch, forgetting all about the betting episode.

got the flag for the start. It was nothing unusual for sums ranging from \$5,000 to \$10,000 to change hands on the result and the riders were amply rewarded for their daring work.

At Reno the mail sack was already made up by the train messengers on the Central Pacific. As the deputy coaches loomed up the express riders were in the saddle with two men holding the heads of the horses that were keyed up to the highest pitch and fully as expectant as their riders.

As a pony express rider Jack Lynch had few equals and thousands of dollars changed hands daily in Virginia City on the strength of his riding. This was clear unadulterated sport, fanned by an incipient spirit of rivalry with an enormous stake in the shape of popularity for the man who made the greatest winnings at the game of carrying the mail from Reno to Virginia City at a speed that was the nearest approach to telegraphic transmission ever recorded in the western country.

Between Reno and Virginia City the route was over the Geiger grade, with its ten per cent hills and dangerous declivities. The distance was 21 miles and thirteen horses were used each trip.

He never had much money and never lacked for friends. His brother Billy was a professional jockey and therefore it is inferred that riding came naturally to the Lynch family.

ELKO RANCH SOLD. Hunter & Banks, owners of the Hunter ranch east of Elko, have sold their interests to Allen G. McBride and it is announced all of the 320 acres will be put under cultivation.

Two Aviators Drop to Death

(By Associated Press.) NORTH ALLERTOWN, Eng., May 15.—Two British army aviators were killed during a combined flight of a squadron of military aeroplanes from Scotland to Salisbury plain.

BOY OF EIGHTEEN MURDERS 3 AFTER SHORT QUARREL

MOTHER, DAUGHTER AND SON BEATEN TO DEATH WITH CLUB.

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, May 15.—Harley Beard, 18, confessed today that he murdered three persons yesterday on a farm near Ironton, Ohio. Those he killed according to his confession, were Robert Massie, Mary Massie and their mother, Mrs. Nancy Massie, aged 80.

CANADIAN MONEY COUNTERFEITED TO EXTENT OF \$10,000

BRITISH COLUMBIA FLOODED FROM SEATTLE WITH BOGUS BANK BILLS.

(By Associated Press.) SEATTLE, May 15.—Secret service operatives seized a counterfeiting plant worth \$1,000 after the counterfeiters who had been operating in the state of Washington, British Columbia had been turning out twenty dollar Canadian notes and Canadian five dollar bills.

DIE ON GALLOWES FOR MURDER OF A POLICEMAN

(By Associated Press.) NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., May 15.—Herman Behrens, of San Bernardino, and Frank Davis were hanged. They showed hatred for each other on the scaffold, Davis' last words being that Behrens committed the murder for which the two were executed, last May. Policeman Archibald attempted to arrest Behrens and Davis for burglary and was killed.

CONDITION OF MRS. WINGFIELD UNCHANGED

The condition of Mrs. George Wingfield was reported yesterday to be practically unchanged. Her fever is not yet under control and was reported at 104 degrees.

Transcontinental Record Broken

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, May 15.—Irwin Baker arrived, having traveled from San Diego, California, 3,362 miles, by motorcycle, in eleven days, eleven hours. The previous record was twenty days, nine hours.

President Meets A. B. C. Envoys Expresses Hope of Settlement Of Three Years' Troubles

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, May 15.—The opening of negotiations by the South American mediators in Mexican controversy at Niagara Falls has been postponed until May 20th.

can delegates speeding northward from Key West, Fla., might not be unduly hurried in their trip. The Mexican delegation will reach Washington tomorrow.

The South American envoys paid a formal visit to the president, who wished them success in their mission of peace. He expressed the hope that when they would return they would have found a solution of the Mexican problem which has confronted the United States for three years.

LIMITED ON THE NORTHERN HELD UP BY TWO BANDITS

DYNAMITE EXPRESS CAR, BUT FAIL TO SECURE ANYTHING OF VALUE.

(By Associated Press.) SPOKANE, May 15.—The Great Northern passenger train, Oriental Limited, was held up by two masked highwaymen near Rexford, Mont. The combination mail and baggage car was detached and run four miles, where the car was rifled. As the train stopped the mail clerk and baggage man jumped and hid. When the robbers couldn't open the car doors, they dynamited the car. They didn't secure much of value.

SERIOUS DAMAGE CAUSED BY ARSON SUFFRAGETTES

DESTROY COSTLY GRANDSTAND AT BIRMINGHAM CRICKET GROUNDS.

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, May 15.—Arson squads of militant suffragettes destroyed the costly grandstands of the country cricket grounds at Birmingham. Sentences of one month's imprisonment were pronounced on fifteen "generalists," including Flora Drummond, Mrs. Dacre-Fox, the suffragette leaders. They were charged with disturbing the peace by camping on the doorsteps of Sir Edward Carson and Lord Lansdownes. They jeered at the magistrate and were dragged out of court screaming.

TEN MEN KILLED IN DETROIT FACTORY

RUBBER PLANT BLOWN UP AND SKILLED MACHINISTS SLAIN.

(By Associated Press.) DETROIT, May 15.—Ten skilled machinists were killed and one injured by an explosion which destroyed the plant of the Mexican Crude Rubber company. Scores of windows in buildings near by were shattered.

STRENUOUS LIFE IN TRAINING YOUNG IDEA

During the past year the Wells public schools have changed principals four times from one cause or another, and yesterday the fourth teacher was sent up by District Superintendent Anderson to take charge. The last teacher broke his leg while playing baseball last week, the one before him was taken sick, and the one before him ousted on account of not having a proper certificate. The name of the new teacher is Mrs. L. Tourisite, of California, who comes well recommended.—Elko Free Press.

FIRE SEASON GETS AN EARLY START ON THE RESERVES

RAVAGES ON THE COAST WORSE THAN FOR SOME PREVIOUS YEARS.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, May 15.—The first reports of forest fires have begun to come in to Washington from the national forests and they indicate to the federal officers an early start of the fire season, with unfavorable weather conditions from the very beginning. In the northwest there was less snow on the mountains at the end of the winter than for many years past. Railroad rights of way which were last year deep in snow are reported clear now and dry enough to burn readily.

From the Canadian border to Mexico the reports are similar, and there have already been extensive fires in California and Arizona.

The chief forester reports, however, that the fire-fighting forces of the service are organized better than ever before, particularly in respect to the fire detection system of lookout stations. By means of these stations fires are reported quickly and accurately, so that the control forces may be on the ground at the earliest possible moment.

In those states where the greatest danger threatens, especial efforts are being made by the government foresters and by co-operative fire protection associations organized among timberland owners, to secure care with fire on the part of campers, prospectors, loggers, and by railroads. The northwestern forestry and conservation association, with headquarters at Portland, Oregon, is one of the leaders in this campaign.

BIRD OF ILL OMEN WILL TAKE PLACE OF PEACE DOVE

SENATOR McLEAN PICTURES UNCLE SAM AS A CONFIDENCE MAN.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, May 15.—Arbitration of the Panama tolls question was advocated in the senate today by Senator McLean, a Republican. Unless such course is pursued, he predicted:

"The pretty little bird of peace the United States has been talking about will be known to the world as a raven instead of a dove." He said: "I don't want this great triumph at Panama to degenerate into a trial with Uncle Sam in the dock, his own mother complainant and chief witness against him. If we sit in judgment on our own case the verdict would be 'I told you so, Uncle Sam plays with loaded dice.'"

NORMAL CLASS FOR 1915 IS ALREADY ASSURED FACT

Five candidates for the normal school for the next scholastic year have entered their names and there is no doubt about Miss Rieve continuing in charge of the Tonopah class. The names enrolled are Miss Anna Oulida, Miss Della Gilbert, Miss Miriam Egan, Mrs. McGuire and Mrs. Elsie Marty.

COMPLETES SURVEY BOULDER CANYON ON THE COLORADO

TAKING OF SOUNDINGS, HOWEVER, HAVE TO BE DEFERRED UNTIL FALL.

Henry C. Schmidt and Leson-Ballet returned last evening from Boulder canyon, on the Colorado river, where they went to complete the first survey for the company that proposes to hitch the current of that stream before it enters the Grand canyon in Arizona and make it work its part in transforming the western wilderness into an industrial paradise.

The survey was finished, but the river was too high to take soundings, as the water is coming out from the everlasting snows of the San Juan mountains in Colorado and the torrent is racing through the canyon at the speed of an express train. The river ranges from 15 to 30 feet deep and it will be necessary to wait until late in the season, when the soundings may be completed and the details of the undertaking rounded up.

Mr. Schmidt reports the heat in that quarter as terrific, but he encountered no trouble in attending to the survey aside from the blistering sustained from exposure. He arrived in Goldfield last night and motored over to Tonopah with Russ Williams.

MUSICIANS WILL HAVE NEW SUITS

CROWD DANCED TO 3 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING AND THEN ASKED FOR MORE.

The concert of the Tonopah military band last night was a great success and the boys are thankful to the people for rallying to their assistance at a time when their treasury needed the money. The full band shared in the pleasure of furnishing music during the evening and the program of dance music was so well appreciated that the musicians were importuned for more until even at 3 o'clock they insisted on one more dance, which was given before the crowd dispersed.

The new uniform of the band will be identical with that of the West Point cadets with the one exception that black instead of white facings will be used by the Tonopah boys.

TONOPAH COMPANY WEEKLY REPORT

This morning the Tonopah Mining company shipped 31 bars of bullion valued at \$42,990, extracted from 2,770 tons of ore shipped last week to the mill. The average value of the ore was \$18 per ton and 99 stamps were kept dropping through the week. Shipments of ore from mine to mill for the current week aggregate 2,800 tons.

Some phases of a peace policy are remarkable for the fighting mood they invite among people who are inclined to disagree.—Washington Star.