

INDIANA. — Generally fair tonight and Friday. ...

LAMAR TELLS OF GAME HE PLAYED ON FRONTIERS

Represented Himself at Everything From a Congressman to Chairman to Land Position For His Friend.

STARTED PROBE OF THE STEEL COMBINE

Says Getting a Resolution Introduced in Congress is as Easy as Taking Candy From a Baby.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—A sweeping investigation of the lobbying charges made by Martin M. Mulhall, involving members of the house, will be authorized by the house probably on Saturday.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—A story of misrepresentation, impersonation of public men, and organized effort to influence Wall St. financiers, probably without parallel in the history of congressional investigation, was unfolded today before the senate lobby committee.

A prosperous looking, self-possessed individual, calling himself David Lamar of New York, was described as an "operator in stocks," and admitted the bearer of several assumed names, was the principal in the remarkable session.

He telephoned to financial men and lawyers in the names of Rep. Palmer and Rep. Rorison. He assumed the guise of Chairman McCombs of the democratic national committee, to telephone Chairman Hill of the republican national committee.

Louis Cass Ledyard of New York, counsel for the Morgan firm, was one of his attempted victims. Mr. Ledyard came to the witness stand Wednesday armed with almost a verbatim account of all the conversations held with Lamar, who had represented himself as Congressman Palmer.

The purpose of his impersonations, Lamar contended, was to secure recognition for his friend, Edward Lauterbach, in the good graces of the Morgan firm.

To Appear Today. Members of the committee Wednesday night demanded that Lamar remain in Washington for re-examination Thursday.

Lamar declared he prepared the resolution for the Stanley investigation of the Steel trust; that it was given to Martin, who gave it to Congressman Stanley. Subsequently, he said, it was introduced in the house of representatives by Mr. Stanley.

Mr. Cravath indignantly denied this, terming Lamar a "liar," a characterization which the committee insisted should be withdrawn. Cravath declared the attack had been expected for several days as a part of the bear raid to depress the value of the stock for speculative purposes.

Why, that is just as easy as taking candy from a baby," replied Lamar. He said he prepared the resolution because he was tired of the persecution of him because of his opposition to Steel corporation plans.

He said he did not send Lauterbach to Morgan and Steel people with instructions that the resolution was in his possession, but Lauterbach went on his own accord, after pleading with Lamar to allow him just one more opportunity to heal the breach between the Morgan interests and Lamar.

"Don't you appreciate that the ordinary inference from this would be that you were trying to blackmail them?" asked Sen. Walsh.

SMOKERS AND DRANK MORE IN 1913 THAN EVER BEFORE IN U.S.

Record Breaking Internal Receipts for Year Show Tremendous Advance in Consumption of Booze and Tobacco.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—The American people drank more whiskey and beer, smoked more cigars and cigarettes, and chewed more tobacco during the fiscal year 1913, than in any other period of the nation's history, according to estimates based upon the record breaking internal revenue receipts for the twelve months ended June 30.

The drinkers consumed 143,300,000 gallons of whiskey and brandy, an increase of 7,500,000 gallons.

Sixty-four million five hundred thousand barrels of beer flowed down the throats of lovers of the amber brew, exceeding 1911's record by more than 1,000,000 barrels.

Smokers puffed into space 7,707,000,000 cigars and 14,012,000,000 cigarettes during the year just closed.

This was 217,000,000 cigars and 2,790,000,000 cigarettes more than ever had been consumed in a single year.

Patrons of the pipe smoked 402,200,000 pounds of tobacco or 9,400,000 pounds more than the consumption of 1912.

Chewers of snuff likewise held their own, disposing of 33,200,000 pounds, an increase of more than 2,000,000 pounds over the previous year.

STEAMER ON FIRE; ASSISTANCE ASKED

Tank Ship Sioux, Which Left New York Wednesday, is Said to be in Dire Straits.

NEW YORK, July 2.—The Morgan line steamer Comus, New York for New Orleans, sent a wireless message early this evening reporting the steamer Sioux on fire off Barnegat.

The fire was not under control when the message was sent. The German tank steamer Sioux, 3,949 tons, Capt. Lotze, sailed from New York Wednesday for Tuxpan, Mexico.

Atmospheric conditions were so bad Wednesday night that only the powerful wireless stations here were able to catch the original message from the Comus and two hours later nothing further had been heard from her.

When word first came from the Comus the local fire boat New Yorker went out at full speed.

Word regarding the Sioux finally came in a wireless message from the United Fruit steamer Santa Marta, nearing this port from Colon. The Santa Marta reported that she had been notified by the Sioux that the tank steamer was in no further need of assistance.

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Fire Department Makes Good Record for June—Chemical Traveled 75 Miles.

INTERURBAN CLAIM MAN BECOMES AN ATTORNEY

Floyd O. Jellison, for the past five years claim agent for the Chicago, South Bend and Northern Indiana Railway Co., was admitted to the St. Joseph county bar Thursday morning.

CITY'S RELIEF FROM HEAT OF SHORT DURATION

Temperature Goes Up to 93 on Wednesday and Another Death Due to Excessive Heat is Reported.

NOT ENOUGH WAGONS TO HANDLE ICE FOR CITY

Only Decent Promise Weather Man Can Make is That It May Rain in Northern Part of the State on Friday.

The city's relief from the heat was of short duration as the temperature climbed back to the 90 degree mark Wednesday and for a time during the day was hovering at the 93 stage, only four degrees cooler than the hottest days of the year.

Another death was added to the heat's toll in the person of William Miltonberger at the county infirmary. Miltonberger ate breakfast at the infirmary at 6:30 o'clock and died 15 minutes later.

People are suffering further, owing to their inability to get sufficient ice to prepare the cooling drinks that are so much in demand these days.

One local firm it is alleged during the hot days had the receivers on its telephones down in order not to be bothered with calls from disappointed customers.

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Miss Tobin Gives Her Impressions of Picnic

BY MARGARET TOBIN.

Wednesday was a great day for Plymouth.

When the special train carrying the Ellsworth store picnic party delivered its freight of laughing, shrieking, romping girls and boys—they were all girls and boys for the time being—at the Vandalla station, the whole populace was assembled on porches and street corners, waiting in pleased anticipation to welcome their triumphant entrance.

The parade was in constant review from the station to the fair grounds. Little boys followed it on foot and on bicycles and it left a trail of fluttering excitement and comment in its wake.

Ellsworth banners were distributed by a lavish hand along the way. The little pennants were the touch of nature that won the townsfolk and took them into the fun.

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WON'T TEACH ABOUT SEX IN GARY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

GARY, Ind., July 2.—Declaring that sex hygiene could be accomplished better by private talks than by study in the class rooms, W. A. Wirt, superintendent of schools, said it would not be continued here.

"As it is taught at the present time more harm is accomplished than good," said Wirt.

DIDN'T GIVE THEM UP. Arriving here from Chicago without money, John Selmer secured a position in a bakery and the second day stole two rings and a fifty cent piece. He told Judge Farabaugh he intended to pay it back, but was given 10 days in jail and a fine of \$10 and costs.

ICE HORSES START INTO SALOON LIKE MRS. NATION. Dashing over the sidewalk on W. Colfax av., a team of horses hitched to an R. S. Duffey ice wagon crashed into the windows of the Kugel and Blackburn saloon at 11 W. Colfax av. Before the driver was making a delivery the horses were scared and started to run. The animals escaped without injury.

LONDON.—Mrs Gyneth Bebo, a would-be barrister, has failed in her action against the Law society and there will be no women lawyers in Great Britain, at least for the present.

NEW YORK.—Vincent Astor will serve on the American Rumanian-Jewish emancipation committee which has as its object the relieving of 250,000 Jews in Rumania.

IDENTIFY MAN WHO STABBED VETERANS

Man Who Claims to be General's Son Defamed Lincoln, it is Charged.

GETTYSBURG, Pa., July 2.—W. P. Henry, who claims to be a son of Brig. Gen. Henry of Virginia, is held here Thursday as one of two men who stabbed seven persons in the Gettysburg hotel Wednesday night.

The fight followed a remark alleged to have been passed between Henry and his companions defaming Lincoln's name. A veteran remonstrated and a general struggle ensued during which seven men were stabbed.

Henry denies that he was implicated in the fight, asserting that he saw the man with the knife and knocked him down.

Positive identification of Henry as the man who did the stabbing was made, however, by Capt. John Goldthwaite, of Salem, Mass., who was in the hotel at the time.

"You're the man," said Goldthwaite addressing Henry. "I saw you stab every one of those seven persons. You made a rush at me, too, and if I hadn't ducked, you would have stabbed me."

The wounded men are: Edward J. Carroll, sergeant of the quartermaster's corps, U. S. A.; David Fauber of Butler, Pa., a member of the state constabulary; John D. Maunin, Harrisburg; Arthur Griffin, Gettysburg, Pa.; Charles Susler of West Fairview, Pa.; Hayler Renisecker, Gettysburg; and Harry A. Root, Jr., Harrisburg.

Farber, Maugin and Griffin are in the most serious condition. Their wounds were in the left breast and the surgeons at the Pennsylvania State hospital would not venture predictions as to their chance of recovery.

Started Suddenly. According to all the information the authorities could gather, the fight started suddenly and was over in a few minutes. It was sitting at 7 o'clock, when the dining room was full of people and caused a panic among the scores of guests. The old veteran, who was unhurt and disappeared in the melee, was sitting near Farber and Carroll, when he heard the slighting remarks about Lincoln. He jumped to his feet and began to denigrate the martyred president and berate his detractors.

The men who were stabbed, according to the information the surgeons gathered, jumped to the defense of the veteran when the others closed in. Knives were out in a second and the room was a scene of confusion. Women fled for the doors and crowded to the windows ready to jump to the street below. It was all over before the men in the room could get their breath and the men responsible for it all had got out and away. The fight spurred the medical men again Wednesday night to an effort to have the Gettysburg saloons closed during the remainder of the encampment.

Here is another story that wandered into camp Wednesday and although the names are missing from the way the old veterans' memories and the men's willingness to forget it seems entirely believable.

Two veterans, one in blue and the other in gray, met down town in Gettysburg. They literally fell in one another's arms and after a murmur of the town they hit upon a great scheme. They walked hand in hand through the streets to a hardware, bought a hatchet and tramped a mile and a half to the battlefield. They hunted up the Bloody angle where Pickett's charge reached its crest, dug a hole in the ground there and with tears and more embraces, "buried the hatchet."

So many cases have been reported of veterans losing their return railroad tickets and the consequent distress because of the inability to purchase transportation that Gov. Tener Wednesday sent Gen. Liggett, the United States officer in charge of the great camp, that the state of Pennsylvania will pay the return fare of all veterans who have lost their tickets, no matter in what part of the United States they reside.

A storm swept down out of the Blue Ridge over the plateau of Gettysburg Wednesday bringing needed relief to thousands of veterans in blue and gray who had sweated for four days in an atmosphere that would do credit to a fireless cooker but is dangerous in a city of 50,000 old and weary men. For more than a half hour the rain came pouring down upon the sun cracked and wind swept encampment ground. It charged with violent thunder over the ground that had been covered in its salvos of thunder with the booming guns of Meade and Lee but the thermometer dropped with wonderful agility and the lightning cleared the air of its burden of humidity.

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