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SENATOR IS DODGING SERVICE

Indicted on Bribery Charge in Conection With Lorimer's Election.

LORIMER REFUSES TO SAY AYTHING

Chicago, Ill., May 30.—State senator John Broderick, who was indicted by the Springfield grand jury on charges of bribery in the election of William Lorimer to the United States senate, has surrendered. He spent last night away from his home in this city and successfully evaded efforts of Springfield and local detectives to find him.

About noon today senator Briderick surrendered himself to the sheriff.

Lorimer Silent.

United States senator Lorimer arrived here Sunday. He left a few hours later and his whereabouts was a mystery. The senator positively refused to discuss any phase of the bribery scandal involving his name.

He was asked to make a statement regarding state senator Holstlaws's confession, in which Holstlaw admitted that he had received $2500 for voting for Lorimer for senator.

"Holstlaw is in the same class with White," said the senator. "I will not discuss him. In fact, I will not say another word."

Sensation Expected.

Startling developments are expected following the confession by state senator D. W. Holtslaw, of Iuka, to the Sangamon county grand jury that he was promised and later received $2500 from state senator John Broderick, Democrat, of Chicago, for his vote for William Lorimer for senator and $700 from senator Broderick as his share of the "jackpot."

Six legislators—three members of the senate and three members of the house—are scheduled to appear. They are: Senators John Broderick (Democrat), Chicago, under indictment for alleged bribery; Stanton C. Pemberton (Republican), Oakland, under indictment for conspiracy to commit a felony in connection with the furniture deal; D. W. Holstlaw, (Democrat), Iuka, who was indicted, confessed and was granted immunity; Representative Joseph S. Clark (Democrat), Vandalia, under indictment for conspiracy in furniture deal; Charles L. McMackin, (Republican), Salem, and Harvey D. McCullom, (Democrat), Louisville, who voted for Lorimer, will be examined as witnesses.

One other witness to be examined is A. B. Johnson, of the Johnson and Hatcher company, of Springfield, who acted as local agent for the Ford-Johnson company in the furniture deal and whom senator Holtslaw and Otto Freier, of the Derby Desk company, have implicated by their corroborative testimony. They allege that A. B. Johnson agreed that Holstlaw should receive $1500 when the furniture was installed in the state house.

The grand jury does not reconvene until Tuesday, but states attorney Burke proceeded today with the examination of witnesses at Springfield.

CHAMP CLARK EXPECTS TO BECOME SPEAKER.

Washington, D. C., May 30.—"I would rather be speaker two years than United States senator for 18 years," said representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, Democratic house leader, today. "Of course, nothing is certain but death and taxes, but the Democrats will control the next house as sure as you and I are living, and I think I have a good show for the speakership."

In this way Mr. Clark disposed of the report that he will be a candidate for senator to succeed senator Warner, Republican.

TEXAS REFUSES "TAINTED MONEY" TO FIGHT HOOKWORM.

Austin, Texas, May 30.—None of John D. Rockefeller's money donated to fight the hookworm will be spent by Texas, according to the announcement of state health officer Brumby here today. The state health board and the hookworm commission failed to reach an agreement, because Rockefeller's representative wanted the state to duplicate any sums appropriated.

LEATHER WORKERS RESUME.

Waco, Tex., May 30.—Forty leather workers who have been on a strike at the Pawlitt company shops here returned to work this morning. The men got a nine hour day instead of 10 and an increase on piece work.

FLIES FROM ALBANY TO NEW YORK

Glenn H. Curtiss Makes the Trip at 54 Miles an Hour; Wins $10,000.

ALIGHTS TWICE IN THE FLIGHT

New York, N. Y., May 30.—Glen Curtiss's marvelous feat of aviation in flying from Albany to New York yesterday, 137 miles in 152 minutes, compeled the attention of the entire world today. The flight from the state capitol to Governor's Island breaks all speed records in aviation distance contests. Today Mr. Curtiss said he believed still greater flights could be accomplished, and at no distant date. For minutes at a time the Curtiss bi-plane, which is the smallest that ever figured in a great aviation contest, skimmed through the air at 60 miles an hour.

Mr. Curtiss won the $10,000 prize offered by the New York World.

His average speed for the distance—54.06 miles an hour—surpasses any other record ever made by an aeroplane in long distance flight and in its entirety his feat perhaps eclipses anything

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man has attempted in a heavier-than-air machine.

Hamilton Wants Big Test.

Charles K. Hamilton, aviator, has offered to subscribe $2000 toward a prize of perhaps $25,000 or more for a flight from New York to Chicago.

"Within 60 days," he said, "feats will be performed that will make the Curtiss flight look very simple; really it is easy money.

"Next we should have a prize of generous size for a really difficult flight, such as between New York and Chicago. The distance is about 960 miles. I would limit the time to 36 hours and the number of stops to seven. It can be done, but it will be a test for both aviators and machines."

Curtiss's start was made from Albany at 7:03 oclock Sunday morning under weather conditions nearly perfect. One hour and 22 minutes later he had made his stopping place near Poughkeepsie, where there was an hour's intermission. Resuming his flight at 9:26 he landed within the boundary of Manhattan island at 10:35.

Thence to Governor's Island his task was but the concluding lap of a race won.

Beats Paulhan.

Paulhan's flight from London to Manchester—186 miles—exceeded the Curtiss feat in distance but not in speed and danger. The Frenchman's average was 44.3 miles an hour and below him lay English meadowland. Curtiss followed the winding course of the historic Hudson, with abutting headlands, wooded slopes and treacherous palisades. He swung high over the great bridge at Poughkeepsie, dipped at times within 50 feet of the river's broad surface and soared like a falcon at the turns.

Only once did his craft show signs of rebellion. This was off Storm King, near West Point, when at a height of nearly 1000 feet, a treacherous gust struck his planes. The machine dropped like a rock 40 feet and tilted perilously. But Curtiss, always cool, kept his head

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POINDEXTER MAY QUIET THE RACE

Chances Are That Gubernatorial Fight Will Narrow Down to Three Men.

BAILEY MAY GO OVER TO COLQUITT

Austin, Tex. May 30.—The talk of the withdrawal of one or more of the candidates for the Democratic nomination of governor is becoming more pronounced. It is the general belief in well informed political circles that William Poindexter will pull out of the race before the primaries. It is conceded that it is perhaps Mr. Poindexter's present intention to stay in till the end, but an observer of the trend of political developments must naturally reach the conclusion that he will be made to change his mind before many weeks have passed.

There are two or three reasons for this belief. In the first place the circumstantial evidence is strong that the men who were instrumental in inducing him to enter the contest never contemplated that he should remain in to the finish unless certain contingencies arose that would make it advisable for him to do so. These contingencies have not developed up to this time.

Bailey's Prestige.

Mr. Poindexter is generally regarded as the protege of senator J. W. Bailey in the race which he is making for governor. Recent publication of letters written by Mr. Bailey clearly indicate that he wants to bring about the defeat of Cone Johnson and R. V. Davidson above everything else. To defeat Johnson he is charged with having induced Poindexter to enter the contest, hoping thereby to cause a division of the prohibition vote.

In these early plans, all of which had for their object the success of the anti-prohibition faction of the party, represented in the candidacy of O. B. Colquitt for governor, it was the opinion of the plotters that Mr. Davidson would not draw heavily from the ranks of the antis and that Johnson's case was the one that required chief attention.

Since Mr. Davidson began his canvass of the south Texas anti-prohibition territory the aspect of the situation has completely changed. It is now very apparent that he will divide the anti-prohibition vote with Mr. Colquitt, not only in south Texas but all over the state.

Bailey May Drop Out.

With the defeat of Colquitt threatened, Mr. Bailey and the managers of the Colquitt campaign are said to be arranging plans by which they hope to add to his strength. If Mr. Bailey can accomplish this by casting over Poindexter he will do so; in fact, it is the logical conclusion in view of the existing situation that further along in the campaign, perhaps in the closing days the formal announcement of Mr. Poindexter's withdrawal will be made, and along with it will be issued a pronunciamento by Mr. Bailey calling upon his followers to support Mr. Colquitt for governor. This is almost as sure to happen as if it had already transpired. It is really hardly a matter of speculation. Mr. Poindexter can serve no good purpose to Mr. Bailey by remaining in the race until the primaries. His defeat would be a reflection on Mr. Bailey. The junior senator likes the prestige that naturally comes to him by being on the winning side.

What Effect?

What would be the effect of Mr. Poindexter's withdrawal from the contest? Can Mr. Bailey deliver the Poindexter vote to Colquitt? It hardly seems possible that he can. Some of the chief supporters of Poindexter who are sincere in their desire to see him made governor would find themselves between the devil and the deep, blue sea should he retire from the race. It is problematical who of the other candidates would receive their support. The ardent Bailey followers would doubtless go to Colquitt even if the latter is running on a platform opposite to their views, but the Poindexter men who set the prohibition issue above Bailey would either vote for Johnson or remain away from the polls when the primaries are held.

Bailey a Factor.

Mr. Bailey is becoming more and more a factor in the campaign. He has precipitated the issue, evidently in order that it may give him an excuse to throw his influence to Colquitt later on. Mr. Davidson has accepted the challenge that Bailey threw down and from now on this new feature of the political discussion will be prominent. Mr. Davidson demands that Mr. Bailey make good his charge that he is guilty of slandering him. With the adjournment of congress not yet in sight it is considered doubtful if Mr. Bailey will be able to take the stump in Texas in July, but it is expected that he will put his views in writing and have them published in this state from time to time between now and the holding of the primaries on July 23.

Prohibition Question.

There are many anti-prohibitionists who believe that the question of statewide prohibition should be settled by submitting it to a vote of the people. Mr. Davidson meets their views on this point and they will give him their support, it is claimed. The belief is also very general that should Colquitt be nominated by a minority of the anti-prohibition popular vote, the prohibition vote aggregating more than the anti votes that are cast for him, this result would give governor Campbell an excuse for convening the legislature in special session for the purpose of enacting stringent liquor regulating laws. The prohibitionists are in majority in the two branches of the legislature and would clearly have it within their power to carry out a program of that sort. While it is not likely that a statewide prohibition law would be enacted at the prospective special session other statutory measures affecting the prohibitionists to drastic action. It is pointed out that should he be nominated by a minority of the anti-prohibition popular vote, the prohibition vote aggregating more than the anti votes that are cast for him, this result would give governor Campbell an excuse for convening the legislature in special session for the purpose of enacting stringent liquor regulating laws. The prohibitionists are in majority in the two branches of the legislature and would clearly have it within their power to carry out a program of that sort. While it is not likely that a statewide prohibition law would be enacted at the prospective special session other statutory meas-

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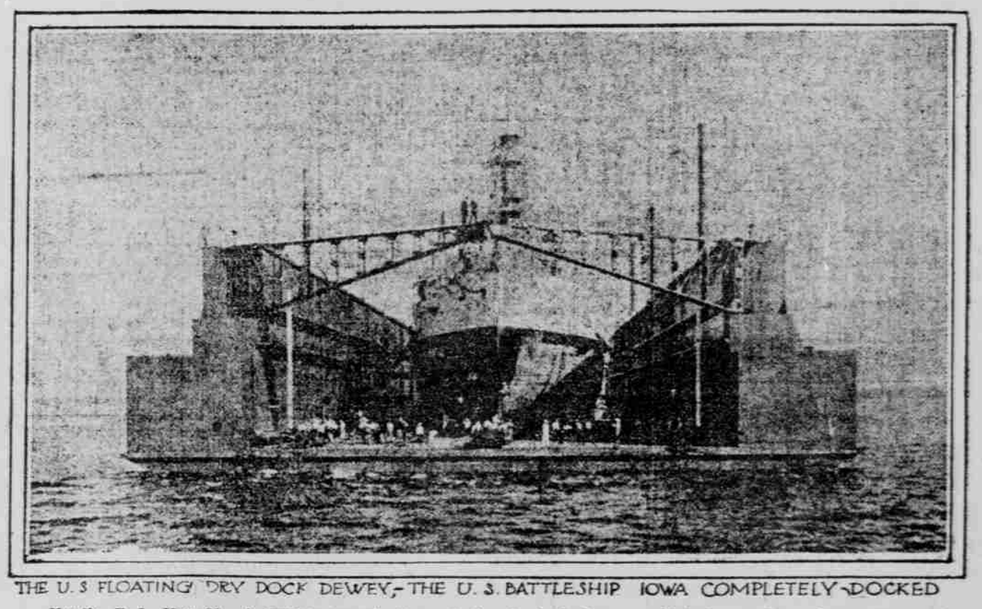
HARD FIGHTING IN NICARAGUA

EVIDENCES THAT CONSPIRATORS SUNK DRY DOCK DEWEY



THE U. S FLOATING DRY DOCK DEWEY,- THE U. S. BATTLESHIP IOWA COMPLETELY DOCKED

Manila, P. I., May 30.—A further examination of the drydock Dewey, which is partly submerged at Olongapo in Subig bay, has strengthened the belief that the damage was done deliberately by a band of conspirators.

Experts believe a large hole will be found on the port side or bottom of the dock, but the probable mystery will not be cleared until the dock is raised.

Many Japs were at work on it. The Dewey has sunk in 70 feet of water.

At several different times within the last three years unofficial statements have reached officials in the navy department at Washington that attempts to destroy the giant drydock have been frustrated by vigilant guards. Disgruntled natives, discharged employes and Japanese have been mentioned in connection with these reports.

REBELS HOLD TOWN OF RAMA

Refuse to Surrender; Federals Repulsed at Bluefields by Rebels.

MADRIZ'S MEN GET INTO TRAP

Allowed to Capture Bluff at Bluefields and Then Are Slaughtered.

Washington, D. C., May 30.—Severe fighting between the troops of president Madriz and those of provisional president Estrada, took place early this morning near Bluefields. Two hundred prisoners were taken by Estrada's troops.

Rebels Hold Rama.

San Juan Del Sur, Nic., May 3.—Gen. Lais Mena, commander of the insurgent forces at Rama, has refused to surrender the town. Gen. Chavarria has offered to guarantee the lives of the rebels.

President Madriz has ordered the operations to continue until the town falls.

Regulars Lose Heavily.

New Orleans, La., May 30.—A special cablegram from Bluefields, Nic., says:

"Hurling his troops time and again against Estrada's trenches yesterday, only to be repulsed by the terrific machine gun fire, Gen. Arias, commanding the Madriz forces besieging Bluefields, suffered heavy losses while the defenders of the city had comparatively little.

"It now seems that an attack on the city would fail, as did Estrada's attack on Managua. It is expected that more fighting will occur today.

"The government forces renewed the attack on the city this morning, carrying the outposts but were repulsed by the Estrada forces in a sanguinary conflict. The Madriz army was thoroughly routed and fled in every direction. Three hundred prisoners were captured and brought here. This is one of the most decisive battles won by the revolutionists and makes rumors of peace, circulated here this morning before the attack, probably without foundation, as Estrada appears more confident than ever of sweeping the country in two weeks."

Rebels Set a Trap.

Another dispatch says that Gen. Zeledon, of the insurgent army, has assumed a formidable position in the war of Bluefields bluff and will make an effort to retake the custom house.

A. J. Oliver, consul general of the Estrada government at New Orleans, received a dispatch last night which contains additional assurance that the Estrada government allowed the bluff to be taken in order to trap the attacking party of Madriz forces, which, it is alleged, can be accomplished. While the number of Gen. Zeledon's forces is not given, confidence is expressed in a safe repulsion by the Estrada army.

It was also stated that Gen. Gabe Conrad, of Louisiana, who has distinguished himself in the service of Estrada, is active.

FOUR INDIANS BURN TO DEATH IN HOTEL

Muskogee, Okla., May 30.—Four Indians perished in a hotel fire at Eufaula early this morning. The dead are Peter Beaver, Mrs. Beaver, the Beaver child and John Puckabja. The Indians came to Eufaula from Weseletka yesterday to attend the commencement exercises of the Creek school. The fire broke out in a store occupying the ground floor of the hotel and the victims were suffocated by smoke.

CITY EMPLOYES GET HALF HOLIDAY DURING SUMMER

Commencing June 4 all city offices will close at noon on Saturdays throughout the hot summer months. County officers have not observed this custom heretofore, but it is possible the plan will be adopted as very little business is transacted on that day and hardly any after noon.

TAFT VIEWS VETERANS' PARADE

President Lends Presence to Celebration of Memorial Day in New York.

GREAT CROWDS ON THE STREETS

New York, May 30.—New York today observed Memorial day not merely with the traditional ceremony, but with the unsual honor of the presence in the city of the president of the United States to review the parade of veterans.

The weather is ideal and enormous crowds were drawn to the streets and avenues through which marched the rapidly thinning ranks of the blue. A great host also massed about the stand at the Soldiers' and Sailors' monument, where president Taft watched the Grand Army men and kindred organizations pass in review.

CONGRESS HONORS NATION'S DEAD

All Departments at Washington Close for Memorial Day.

Washington, D. C., May 30.—The halls of congress and all executive departments were closed today while the statesmen of the nation participated in exercises commemorating Memorial day. An elaborate program filled the day, beginning with a street parade of veterans and soldiers and including impressive ceremonies at Arlington, the national cemetery of the United States, the Soldiers' home, congressional and battlegrounds cemeteries, and others.

An impressive spectacle was the setting adrift of a flower laden boat in the Potomac river by the Spanish War Veterans in honor of the nation's naval dead.

GREAT CELEBRATION IS HELD IN CHICAGO.

Troops From Fort Sheridan March Into City to Take Part in the Big Parade.

Chicago, Ill., May 30.—More careful preparations were made for the observance of Memorial day in Chicago this year than for many years past. The ceremonies at the two score cemeteries about the city were features of the morning, while a large parade occupied the afternoon. Many veterans were taken over the route in automobiles. Several hundred regulars, who made a two days' march from Fort Sheridan, took part in the procession.

UNITED COMRADES PAY TRIBUTES TO THE DEAD.

G. A. R. and U. C. V. Veterans Decorate Graves of Departed Comrades—Special Services by Rev. P. J. Rice.

Paying the tribute of the living to the dead, the thinned ranks of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Confederate Veterans went to the cemetery Monday morning on a street car and together they decorated the graves of the men of the north and south who have answered the final taps.

Sunday evening at the First Christian church, Rev. P. J. Rice delivered the annual memorial service sermon to the veterans, who sat in the front pews, having marched from their headquarters. The pulpit of the church was decorated with a large American flag and the songs which were sung by the choir were patriotic.

The custom of having a Decoration day parade and a general celebration has not been followed out in El Paso because of the inability of the old veterans of the two causes to march the great distance to the cemetery. Instead, they met Monday morning and carried the simple floral offerings for their departed comrades to the cemeteries, where each veteran's grave had been marked with a flag.

Southwestern employes were given a half holiday Monday afternoon for Decoration day. All of the offices in the federal building were closed Monday and the postoffice was closed from the noon hour.

No flag floated from the masthead on the federal building and there was none atop the city hall or courthouse Monday, until noon when one was run up on the city hall.

TWO EL PASOANS WOULD END LIVES

"Because he was tired of life, Thomas Dillon, about 25 years of age, attempted to commit suicide Saturday afternoon at 3:20 by taking a dose of morphine in his room at the Courthouse block on the corner of San Antonio and Kansas streets.

Dr. Hugh S. White and Dr. French S. Cary attended him and as he revived he remarked.

"Doc, why didn't you let me go!"

Following a quarrel with her husband, from whom she had been separated, Mrs. Peter W. Garey, who lives on First street, between Stanton and Kansas streets, attempted to end her life Sunday morning about 11 oclock by swallowing chloride of mercury tablets. Dr. Cary, who was summoned, administered an emetic and the woman recovered.

According to the police, she declined to do washing for her husband unless he paid her for it, and when he declined to do this or contribute to her support, though they were separated, she attempted to end her life.

CHINESE START AN AMERICAN BOYCOTT

Ask Merchants All Over China to Refuse American Goods.

San Francisco, Cal., May 30.—The Chronicle today says:

A boycott of American goods which is to extend all over China, is the plan formulated at a meeting held yesterday at the headquarters of the local Chinese chamber of commerce and tomorrow cablegrams will be sent to merchants' societies of China asking cooperation.

More than 500 representative citizens of Chinatown were present at the meeting. As the reason of the proposed boycott, one of the movers stated that the Chinese not only of San Francisco but throughout the country, have felt for some time that they are not being treated with justice.

The detention sheds at Angel Island in San Francisco bay are the special cause for complaint.

It is the intention of the organizers to establish branches in every city of the United States, Canada and Mexico.

GROUND TO DEATH IN A DOUGH MIXER

Houston, Tex., May 30.—Cleaning machinery, August Richard's arms were caught by a revolving dough mixer in the Fischer bakery this morning and he was so terribly crushed when his body was dragged into the rollers that he lived but a few moments. Richards, who is 25, came from Jeanette, La., and was unmarried.

BUILDING A CHURCH AS A DAY'S WORK

Peoria, Ill., May 30.—To start the construction of a church and finish it in 10 hours is one of the features of Memorial day here. The work started at 7 oclock this morning in charge of Earl Stout, of the carpenters' union, who has 75 men under his direction. A hundred and twenty-five members of the Men's Brotherhood of Central Christian church will work shoulder to shoulder with union carpenters, but there will be no labor trouble because of this. Rev. W. F. Turner, pastor of the mission, took off his coat and marched the Men's Brotherhood to the scene of the day's strenuous work.

The climax will come at 6 oclock this evening, when a praise meeting will be held in the church. It will be clear of all indebtedness.

MEXICAN LUMBER MILL IS BURNED

Chihuahua, Mex., May 30.—The brand new saw mill of the Chihuahua Lumber and Manufacturing company at Cuesta Prieta on the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railroad west of Minaca, this state, was burned down on the night of the 26th inst. The mill had just been completed to replace one burned down about five months ago.

Only meager particulars of the disaster have been received here, but there is suspicion on the part of some of the company's officials here that the fire may have been incendiary.

Help Protect the Poor Dumb Animals

Persons who wish to contribute towards the fund for paying the special officer of the Humane society, can do so by taking out a membership card in the society. They are $1 a year and can be obtained at The Herald office. Any complaints of ill treatment of animals, if made to E. E. Morrow, telephone 55, will receive prompt attention.

BODY OF DEAD GIRL IS FOUND

Louisville, Ky., May 30.— A badly decomposed body, identified as that of Alma Kellner, an 8 year old girl who mysteriously disappeared from her home last December, was found today in the sub-basement of St. John's school at Clay and Walnut streets. The body was lying in three feet of water. Frank Fehr, uncle of the girl, identified the body.

The police believe the child was murdered. The body was wrapped in a piece of carpet, except for one limb which was found in another part of the basement, and a rude attempt at burying the body was evident.

GIRL ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

Tulsa, Okla., May 30.—Mrs. Dot Wells, aged 23, was killed by the accidental discharge of a pistol here this morning, while scuffling with a young man for possession of the weapon.

FOUNDER OF PRESCOTT AND TOMBSTONE DIES

Los Angeles, Calif., May 30.—Richard Gird, known as the father of the California beet sugar industry, and prominent in the development of California and Arizona, died yesterday at his home here, aged 74. He laid out the city of Prescott, Ariz., and in 1879 founded the city of Tombstone.

Treat For The Herald Children This Week

Wednesday and Thursday will be Herald children's day at Washington electric park. The Herald will resume its children's days at the park this season and will give the little ones free tickets for various concessions once every month. The first treat is going to be for Wednesday and Thursday, June 1 and 2. Coupons will be printed in the paper Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

There will be lots of fun for the boys and girls of The Herald family playing under the shady trees, looking at the animals, riding the merry-go-round and Cupid's slide and looking at the pictures in the theater.

Watch for the coupons. First one tomorrow. Save them and have a good time. The Herald buys these tickets and it wants the children of The Herald family to enjoy them.