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NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

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NO SUCCESSOR.

Dispatches from Rome state that no successor to Leo XIII has yet been chosen. The conclusion is drawn that the strength of the leading candidate remains unbroken and that no compromise candidate has yet appeared.

And there is no indication of how long this condition of affairs will continue. The prolongation of the contest has aroused tremendous public interest, if indeed not excitement. Every trace of that apathy which followed the death of the late pope has vanished and instead there now exists a burning interest in everything pertaining to the election of his successor.

FOUR officials of the town of Bowstring were arrested with venison in their possession. One of them, a justice of the peace and a single man, was fined $50 and costs. The other three were men of families and were let go with nothing than a severe calling down, with warning to be more careful in the future. This does not necessarily mean that the backwoods bachelor will save money by getting married.

NOT content with shipping machinery and solid food stuffs to Europe, the United States is now sending fruit across the water. A train load of California fruit has reached Southampton. It was packed near Sacramanto July 14, hurried across the continent to New York, arriving there the 21st, was immediately placed on board and the next day was dispatched eastward.

CUSSED THE PRESIDENT.

Resident of Oyster Bay Uses Abusive and Profane Language.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 4.—Profane and abusive language was directed toward President Roosevelt and his family yesterday as they were driving up to Christ church here, to attend the morning service. The offender was a resident of Oyster Bay named McCann. He was hustled away from the church unceremoniously by the secret service operatives. Accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt and two of her children, the president was driving to the village from Sagamore Hill to attend church service as is their custom on Sunday mornings. Directly in front of Christ church the man McCann was walking along the roadside pushing a bicycle. As the president's carriage was about to turn into the driveway leading to the church grounds it passed McCann. Without provocation, the man, with an offensive oath, demanded to know whether they wanted the whole road. This was followed by abusive and profane language. As the carriage stopped at the church door the president, greatly annoyed at the insult offered to Mrs. Roosevelt and the children, alighted and directed the attention of the secret service officers to the man and ordered that he be compelled to leave the vicinity of the church. McCann hesitated when ordered to move on, but as an officer was about to stimulate his movements, he sprang on his wheel and rode away rapidly. While the incident was annoying to the president and his family, it is his desire that no action be taken against the man.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Man Cuts Woman's Throat and Then Kills Himself.

Northboro, Mass., Aug. 4. — Frank Foss, while on his way home last night, heard screams in the direction of Grange hall on School street. Hastening in that direction he came upon two dead bodies lying in a yard close to the sidewalk. According to the police they were the bodies of F. P. Egan and Mrs. Sadie Booth, both of Spencer. Mrs. Booth was twenty-eight years old and had been living for the past month with her sister at Northboro. Her throat was cut almost completely across. A razor was found under her body. Death had been almost instantaneous. The man's throat was cut in a similar manner. The theory of the police is that the man cut the woman's throat and then killed himself.

BRIBERY IS ALLEGED.

Chicago Federation Accuses Committee of "Whitewashing."

Chicago, Aug. 4. — Startling admissions of attempts made to "reach" members of an investigating committee, direct charges of bribery and a warning that the first member found guilty of accepting a bribe would be expelled, were the sensational features of yesterday's meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor. Declaring that the special committee of three appointed to investigate alleged charges of bribery against John C. Driscoll, secretary of the associated teaming interests, an organization of employers, was endeavoring to record a "whitewash" report, the assembled delegates refused to accept it. The committee was discharged and another named, with instructions and warnings to bring in a report stating the facts in the alleged charges.. Secretary Driscoll was denounced as a "trickster" and openly charged with having made the statement that he had labor leaders on his payroll.

CONVICTS STILL AT LARGE.

Bodies of Militiamen Killed in Conflict With Outlaws Found.

Placerville, Cal., Aug. 4.—The convicts who escaped from Folsom prison are still at large. The five who engaged in a fatal fight with the pursuers at the Grand Victory mines Saturday night have not since been seen, and apparently have made a successful retreat. In their haste to get away from the militia and sheriff's posse they left a water can, several hats and some firearms on the hillside where the conflict occurred. The dead bodies of Festus Rutherford and W. C. Jones, the two militiamen who were shot by the outlaws, were found where they had fallen. A report received last evening states that four convicts, not believed to be the same who ambushed Saturday night, were discovered yesterday near Lotus in the Webber Creek district by a posse. A number of shots were exchanged.

KILLED BY A FOWL.

Baby Boy Annoys the Big Rooster a Little Too Long.

Ramona, Ind. T., Aug. 4. — A two-year-old child of Lee Montgomery, an Osage farmer, was killed by a Plymouth Rock rooster. The child was throwing sticks and pebbles at the bird, when it suddenly flew at its childish tormentor and drove its spurs deep into the child's head, neck and back. The parents rescued the child and started immediately to Cleveland for medical assistance, but before they reached town the child was dead.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, Aug. 4. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 86 @ 88c; No. 2 Northern, 85@87c; No. 3, 81c; no grade, 82@84c. Corn—No. 3, 54c; No. 4, 52c; no grade, 47 @ 48c. Rye — No. 2, 47 1-2@48c. Barley—Malting grades, 45@50c; feed grades, 39@44c.

Minneapolis, Aug. 4. — Wheat—No. 1 hard, 87 7-8c; No. 1 Northern, 87c; No. 2 Northern, 84 1-4@85 3-4c.

Duluth, Aug. 4. — Wheat — No. 1 hard, 87 1-4c; No. 1 Northern, 86 3-4c; No. 2 Northern, 84 3-4c; flax, 97c; oats, 34c; rye, 50c; barley, 35@51c.

Milwaukee, Aug. 4. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 87@87 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 83 @ 86c. Rye — No. 1, 52 1-2c. Barley—No. 2, 58@60c. Oats, 37@38c. Corn—September, 49 3-4c.

Chicago, Aug. 4. — Wheat — No. 2 red, new, 80 @ 81c; No. 3 red, new, 77 1-2@80c; No. 2 hard winter, new, 77c; No. 3 hard winter, new, 76 @ 76 1-2c; No. 1 Northern spring, 82 3-8c; No. 2 Northern spring, 80c; No 3 spring, 76@80c. Corn—No. 2, 51 @ 51 1-2c; No. 3, 50 1-2@51c. Oats—No. 2, 32@33c; No. 3, 30@30 1-2c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Aug. 4. — Cattle —Beeves, $4 @ 5; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.50@4.50; stockers and feeders, $2.75@3.80; calves and yearlings, $2.50@3.60. Hogs, $5@5.20; bulk, $5.07 @5.10.

Chicago, Aug. 4. — Cattle—Good to prime steers, $5.10@5.60; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.50. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5.25@5.75; good to choice heavy, $5.55@5.70; bulk of sales, $5.40 @5.65. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, $3.50@3.90; fair to choice mixed, $3@3.50; Western sheep, $2.50@3.90; native lambs, $3@6.25.

South St. Paul, Aug. 4. — Cattle — Good to choice steers, $4.25@5; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.25@4; veals, $2.50@5; steer calves, $2@3.50; good to choice stock cows and heifers, $2.50@3. Hogs — Bulk, $5.25@5.35; common to good heavy, $5@5.25; good light mixed and lights, $5.40 @ 5.50. Sheep — Good to choice shorn lambs, $5.50@6; good to choice yearling wethers, $4@4.25; heavy, $3.50@4; good to choice ewes, medium weight, $2.50@2.75; heavy, $3.25 @ 3.60; culls and stock ewes, $2.50@3.

Earthquake in California.

San Francisco, Aug. 4.—An earthquake lasting nearly thirty seconds was experienced here at 10:50 last evening. The quake was of the longest duration in many years. It was not of a violent character and reports of damage are not looked for.

Two Fatally Injured.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 4. — Behind time and running at a high speed, car No. 106, south-bound on the Indianapolis & Martinsville interurban line, crashed into a north-bound car three miles south of Martinsville, injuring three people, two of whom will probably die.

Score of People Injured.

Texarkana, Ark., Aug. 4.—A street car left the track while making a curve last evening and a score of people were more or less injured.

(OFFICIAL)

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Board of Equalization, Beltrami County, Minnesota.

Bemidji, Minn., July 20, 1903.

Board of equalization met as provided by statute. Members preset, Chairman Sibley, Commissioners Johnson, Anderson, McDougald, Wright and Auditor Sylvester.

After qualifying as required by law, the board proceeded to compare the different assessment returns.

P. A. Smith, representing the Rat Portage Lumber company applied for cancellation of certain assessment of logs in 3rd assessment district, claiming double assessment. On motion the matter was referred to the state board of equalization for adjustment.

On motion, the assessment of the Crookston Lumber company in the village of Bemidji was revised as follows: Addition to assessment of real estate for new buildings, $10,000 instead of $20,000; personal property class 17 raised from $6,400 to $14,340.

On motion, the assessment against S½S E¼ and S½ SW¼, section 20, T. 149, R. 34 was reduced from $2,100 to $1,100.

On motion, the board adjourned to meet at 1:30 p. m.

Board reconvened as per adjournment.

On motion, the following changes in the return of assessor of class 16 in the village of Bemidji was raised so as to make the total assessments as follows:

L. L. Berman, $2000 to $3000; I. Meyer, $1850 to $4000; Fred Malzahn, $1874 to $4000; McCuaig & Ludington, $5150 to $8500; C N. Nangle, $2325 to $3378; O'Leary & Bowser, $700 to $8500; Schneider Bros., $6000 to $5000; J. P. Young, $1255 to $1500; E. H. Winter & Co., $7195 to $8500; The printing outfit of M. E. Ibertson from $275 to $400.

The following assessments were raised under class 26:

Clavin & Tanner, $300 to $650; J. P. Duncalf, $565 to $700; Frank Gagnon, $747 to $900; Albert Hall, $405 to $500; A. J. Hanson, $211 to $400; Chris Olson, $260 to $600; Frank Silversack, $561 to $700; Cora K. Smith, $510 to $700; James Thurston, $400 to $600; F. C. Tyson, $727 to $800; J. P. Taylor, $250 to $400; H. P. Thompson, $353 to $500; Thome & Myers, $620 to $800; M. Williams, $300 to $500; John Splan, $250 to $400; Ole Anderson, $771 to $1000; E. K. Anderson, $200 to $400; Brink Bros., $302 to $400; M. E. Brinkman, $810 to $1000; Bacon & Brown, $350 to $600; A. E. Gunswan, $308 to $400; Gennes & Lyons, $508 to $700; L. H. Bailey, class 27 raised to make total assessment $1100 instead of $331; Duluth Brewing Co., class 26 raised to make total assessment $500 instead of $300; Fitger Brewing Co., do, from $295 to $500; Glueck Brewing Co., do, from $125 to $300; Minneapolis Brewing Co., do, from $100 to $500; Pabst Brewing Co., do, from $200 to $400; $250 ordered added to the personal property assessment of Wm. Blocker under class 26; Red Lake Transportation Co., (not assessed) ordered assessed for 1600 cedar poles, class 17, $160; Anna Clavin, original townsite of Bemidji, lots 13, 14 and 15, block 9, for new buildings from $600 to $900; Lake Shore Hotel, original townsite of Bemidji, lots 1 and 2, block 19, for addition to former buildings (not assessed) $600; F. A. Blakeslee, for added buildings (not asseseed) $400 on E½ SW¼ and W½ SE¼ section 6, township 146, range 33; E. J. Sweedback, lots 11 and 12, block 11, in original townsite of Bemidji (not assessed) $1200; George Kirk, for new buildings additional value to lot 9, block 1, Lake Park addition to Bemidji, $400.

On motion the board adjourned to meet at 9 o,clock a. m., July 21, 1903.

Board reconvened as per adjournment.

All members present.

The board spent the day in reviewing the different assessments and hearing grievances and on motion adjourned to meet at 9 o'clock a. m., July 23, 1903.

Board reconvened as per adjournment.

On motion the assessment against E. H. Woodward for E½ NE¼, NW¼ NE¼ and NE¼ NW¼, section 29, township 149, range 34, was reduced from $2150 to $1200.

On motion the board adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock p. m.

Board reconvened as per adjournment.

On motion the addition real estate assessment for the town of Nebish was raised 50 per cent; Town of Port Hope, 25 per cent; Frohn, 25 per cent, and item "C," class 1, personal property, Town of Blackduck, 25 per cent; Frohn, 25 per cent; Jones, 33 and⅓ per cent; Lammers, 20 per cent; Summit, 33 and ⅓ per cent, and 2nd assessment district, 20 per cent.

On motion the following individual assessments were raised:

Wes Wright, Village of Bemidji, item "C," class 1, raised $90; Tom Smart, do, $90; Fink & Dickerson, Lammers, raised from $75 to $150; Mrs. J. M. Fink, Lammers, raised 100 per cent; Joe McTaggart, Village of Bemidji, "C," class 1, raised $160; George Wallace, do, $190; Jack McAvoy, do, $160; Hamms Brewing Co., Lammers, class 26, $250; Brainerd Lumber Co., Village of Bemidji, class 1, raised from $420 to $760, Irwin & O'Brien, do, raised $800; Marion Johns (not assessed) ordered assessed in class 1, $200 for 4 horses.

On motion the board adjourned to meet at 9 o'clock a. m., July 24, 1903.

Board reconvened as per adjournment.

All members present.

On motion the following assessments for personal property in the Village of Bemidji were made:

F. E. Higgins, $247, and George Kirk $310.

On motion the assessment of S. C. Jackson & Co., in the Village of Tenstrike in class 17 was raised $1000 and the assessment against said Co., in the towns of Port Hope and Hagali were ordered canceled same being covered or included in the assessment in the village of Tenstrike and the assessment against said firm in the first assessment district was ordered transferred to Martin Bros., as the last named firm retained posession of said propesty on the first day of May, 1903.

On motion, the personel property assessment against F. S. Arnold, Bemidji, was reduced to $100; Eckles, to $152, and same against Bessie Ridenour, Frohn, to $231. Said assessments being real estate mortgages and reductions made for part payment, the full amount being assessed instead of balance due on same.

On motion, the following personel property assessment were raised:

C. H. Allen & Co., village of Blackduck, class 16, from $1800 to $2800; Kolden & Thompson, do, class 16, $1420 to $1620; O. E. Jackson & Co., do, class 16, from $2000 to $2,500; F. L. Miller, Lammers, class 26, from $175 to $300; E. J. Regan, do, class 26, from $200 to $300; D. F. Sullivan, Lammers, "C" 1, raised $60, class "A" raised $25, class 8 raised $20, class "A" 10 raised $8; A. E. Underwood, Lammers, class 17, raised from $90 to $250.

On motion, the board adjourned to meet at 1:30 p. m.

Board reconvened as per adjournment.

On motion, the auditor was instructed to transfer the assessment against the First State Bank of Blackduck to the different stockholders of said bank as per sworn statement made by the cashier of said bank, and he is further instructed to cancel the assessment against W. L. Brooks on page 5 of the assessment book of the village of Bemidji for $1000, as the same item is entered elsewhere, making double entry.

On motion, the assessment of Erick Nelson, village of Blackduck, class 26, was raised from $110 to $210; E. M. Anderson, do, same class, from $175 to $275; A. B. Haxen, do, class 26, from $225 to $235.

On motion, the application for corection of assessment of logs against the Kewaten Lum-Lumber compauy in the third assessment district was referred to the state board for adjustment.

On motion, the board adjourned.

Attest: F. O. SIBLEY, Chairman.
D. L. SYLVESTER, Auditor.

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Daily ex. Sunday	STATIONS	Daily ex. Sunday
7:00 a. m. Lv	Blackduck	Ar p m 7:05
7:17	Tenstrike	Lv. 6:46
7:23	Farley	6:35
7:32	Turtle	6:31
8:10	Bemidji	6:05
8:32	Nary	5:26
8:43	Guthrie	5:15
8:57	Lakeport	5:02
9:28	Walker	4:35
9:57	Hackensack	4:00
10:15	Backus	3:42
10:36	Pine River	3:21
10:48	Jenkins	3:09
10 55	Pequot	3:02
11:13	Hubert	2:45
11:25	Merrifield	2:35
11:55 a. m. Ar	Brainerd	Lv p. m. 2:00

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4:05 p. m. Lv	Brainerd	Ar. p. m. 1:05
2:05	Little Falls	Lv. 12:05
3:04	St. Cloud	a. m. 11:07
5:14	Elk River	10:08
1:37	Anoka	9:48
4:20 Ar	Minneapolis	Lv. 9:10
4:50 Ar	St. Paul	Lv. a. m. 8:40
5:10 p. m. Lv	Brainerd	Ar. p. m 12:45
6:53	Aitkin	Lv. a. m 11:49
3:43	Carlton	9:50
1:38	West Superior	55
1:55 Ar	Duluth	Lv. a. m 8:40
1:25 p. m. Lv	Brainerd	Ar. p. m. 12: 5
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EAST BOUND

No. 2	Park Rapids Line	7:10a.m.
" 14	Duluth Express	12:27 p.m.
" 26	" "	12:40 a.m.

WEST BOUND

" 13	Fosston Line	1:46 p.m.
" 25	" "	3:12 a.m.
" 1	Park Rapids Line	7:17 "

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