

YEGGS INVADE RANDOLPH

Made Bold Break Into Post Office To-day

BUT GOT LESS THAN \$100

Landlord Hayward of the Randolph Inn Was Sleeping in Room Just Over the Post Office, and He Heard the Explosion.

Randolph, Oct. 19.—The Randolph post office was burglarized early this morning, the robbers securing less than \$100 worth of money and stamps.

It was half past one o'clock when Mr. Hayward heard the explosion directly under his sleeping room. He looked out the window but could not see anyone about.

The door of the safe was blown completely off, but the room was not seriously damaged by the explosion, although some of the plastering was knocked off.

TRIED TO KILL PRIEST.

Then Would-be Assassin Fled From Chicago Church.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—An attempt to assassinate the Rev. J. K. Fielding, pastor of the Corpus Christi Roman Catholic church, was made yesterday.

Made mention by the man's peculiar notions about the church, Father Fielding asked him: "What are you doing here?"

BATTLESHIP MAINE NOW AT PORTSMOUTH

First of the American Fleet to Return From the Round-the-World Tour.

The Ship's Plans For the Present.

Portsmouth, N. H., Oct. 19.—The battleship Maine, the first of the Atlantic fleet to complete the world tour, entered the harbor here today.

HUGHES AT PLATTSBURG.

Will Speak There Tonight—At Malone and Ogdensburg Tuesday.

New York, Oct. 18.—Gov. Hughes left for Albany at noon yesterday well rested but somewhat hoarse after his campaign trip through this city.

ARRESTED AT STOWE.

Man Charged With a Serious Crime in New York State.

Burlington, Oct. 19.—Fred Munson and John Cayes of Schenectady, N. Y., were in the city Saturday, returning from Stowe, where they arrested one Allen McLane of Rotterdam, N. Y.

BULGARIA BACKS DOWN.

Danger of War Believed to Have Been Averted.

Paris, Oct. 19.—Bulgaria has backed down, according to Naoum Pasha, the Turkish ambassador, and not only has the probability of war which appeared imminent Saturday night, been eliminated, but an understanding between Bulgaria and Turkey is in sight.

To France largely belongs the honor of opening the way for an understanding between Turkey and Bulgaria before it was too late.

France Acted Quickly.

The French ambassador, M. Constans, was apprised of that decision at two o'clock on Saturday afternoon, and, by urgent telegrams, informed M. Pinchon, the French foreign minister.

COURSE OF TRUE LOVE RUNS NOT SMOOTHLY

Duke of Abruzzi Recalls His Statement of Broken Engagement to American Woman. Will Marry Her if He is Expatriated.

Rome, Oct. 19.—It was officially announced today that the Duke of Abruzzi, who is engaged to be married to an American woman, has broken off the engagement.

GILMAN—HOVEY.

Pretty Church Wedding at Northfield on Saturday Evening.

Northfield, Oct. 19.—A very pretty church wedding took place last Saturday night at St. Mary's church at 8:30 o'clock, when Miss Clara Drummond Hovey, daughter of Major and Mrs. Henry W. Hovey of this town, was married to Dana Hovey Gilman, N. U. '08, of Brattleboro.

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BIG FOREST FIRES.

Are Threatening Big Tracts in the Loon Lake Region.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 19.—Reports received in this city from Loon Lake, Tupper lake and Herefield were to the effect that forest fires were burning fiercely and lives and dwellings were threatened.

THREE STORES BURNED OUT

Also a Home and a Barn at Glover

VILLAGE THREATENED

Total Loss To-day Is Estimated at \$30,000—Aid Was Sent from Barton, Many on Re-sponding.

Glover, Oct. 19.—Fire which was discovered at one o'clock this morning, burned to the ground three stores, one house and barn and threatened the whole village before it was finally checked.

The fire, the cause of which is unknown, started in the horse shed near the Davis store. At two o'clock word was sent to Barton for help and a large number of men responded.

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BUSY SESSION HELD TO-DAY

Another Case Grows Out of the Raid on John Gallagher—He Is Charged With Running a Gambling Place.

Four cases of intoxication and one for keeping a gambling resort took up the attention of the city court this morning. The drunks were William B. Minard, who was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer Carle on River street, James Milne, who was also arrested on River street yesterday afternoon by Officer Carle; Floyd Elliott, who was arrested Saturday evening on River street by Officer Gamble, and Tellef Motland, arrested at one o'clock Sunday morning by Officer Gamble, who found him asleep on the sidewalk beside the New England Fruit company's store.

Motland pleaded guilty to a second offense and paid a fine of \$15, with costs of \$7.00. Motland pleaded guilty to a first offense and paid a total of \$13.80. Milne and Elliott both pleaded guilty to subsequent offenses and were asked to disclose where they got their liquor.

MR. HOLLISTER'S STATEMENT

Regarding What Took Place at Rutland Convention.

Editor of the Times: On my return from Rutland Saturday night, I read your article on the athletic situation. I think the public ought to know a few facts. From the day when the charges of professionalism were first brought against Goddard on the 21st of September, I have done what I could to have them true or false. I determined to have the athletic committee of the Schoolmasters' club act upon them.

When I reached Rutland I resigned from that committee in order that a full committee might act upon the charges. When the committee met I made this request of Dr. Bishop: "If you have a charge that you think you can prove, or if you have a charge that you desire to attempt to prove, I want you to make the charge here and let this committee decide whether they think it true or false." He made no charge whatever, as the report of the committee published in your paper of Saturday states.

When we met in Montpelier, Sept. 28, Dr. Bishop told me in the presence of the teachers of Montpelier high school, that he never knew of the existence of any such regulations. He told me at Rutland in the presence of the athletic committee that he had recently given a scholarship to a member of an athletic team living at home.

Arrested for Keeping Gambling Place. John Gallagher was arrested this morning on a warrant charging him with keeping a gambling resort. Gallagher pleaded not guilty to the charge and was placed under \$200 bail for his appearance for trial Wednesday morning.

Another River Street Case.

The breach of the peace case against Mrs. Mabel Cooney, who was arrested last Friday as a result of a neighborhood quarrel on River street, was set for a hearing this morning, but was postponed by the grand jury, who was not ready for the trial.

SMOKE HOUSE BURNED.

Firemen Called Out For Sunday Morning Fire at Gospel Village.

The fire department was called out by still alarm at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning for a fire in the smoke house of the City Fish market, back of the Elmwood cemetery. When the firemen arrived the building was so nearly gone that it was useless to try to save it and they kept the fire from connecting with the Tassie market smoke house which is close by and from getting into the woods.

THOSE EXPLOSIONS.

Wete Blasts From Kinney's Mills Last Night.

Many people were somewhat startled last night by a series of loud explosions, which sounded as if a whole army of yegmen had attacked Barre with their gunpowder. The explosions were not the nefarious work of yeggs but of workmen who are hustling matters on the new power plant at Kinney's Mills in East Montpelier which is to supply power for the Barre and Montpelier electric railroad.

A-START FOR A BAND.

Made By Electing Ned J. Roberts President.

A meeting for organizing a new band association was held yesterday afternoon and Ned J. Roberts was elected president and James Riley secretary. Another meeting will be held in the near future when the list of officers will be completed and arrangements for starting a band will be adopted.