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TEDDY HAS JUNGLE CHILLS BUT SAYS HE FEELS BULLY

SAYS HE WILL NOT RUN FOR GOVERNOR OF N. Y. BUT STOPS THERE

SILENT AS TO THE PRESIDENCY

Declares That His River Is Long As the Rhine and As Real; That He Has Not Spoken On Mexican Trouble

(By Associated Press.)

New York, May 19.—Theodore Roosevelt today returned home from his visit of many months to South America, accompanied by the two naturalists of his party, Geirge K. Cherry and Leo. E. Miller, he arrived from Para at quarantine shortly before 4 o'clock on board the Booth Liner Aidan.

Fleas Quip at Critics.

With a few crisp sentences, Colonel Roosevelt reaffirmed the verity of the "River of Doubt" quietly denied having expressed himself as to presidential probabilities for 1916, declared he would not run for governor of New York, made a few deprecatory remarks about his critics and with harbor craft tooting and flags fluttering was taken aboard a tug which proceeded to Oyster Bay.

Friends who had been alarmed by reports of the colonel's severe illness, were greatly surprised when they saw him. He was noticeably thinner, and he used a cane, but his face wore a healthy tan and he apparently had not lost an ounce of vigor and energy. After stopping ten days in this country, Mr. Roosevelt will go to Oyster Bay to the wedding of his son Kermit.

As the tugs which carried several members of the Roosevelt family including Mrs. Roosevelt, Archibald Roosevelt and Theodore Jr., approached the liner, the familiar figure of the Colonel could be seen leaning far over the rail. As he waved a greeting, his lips spread wide with a smile.

Is Cordially Greeted.

Not a few eyes were wet as the collector of the port, Dudley Field Malone, and a host of newspaper men scrambled up the companionway. The colonel stood at the stop and shook each man by the hand.

Anthony Fiala, who was part of the way with Mr. Roosevelt, in his explorations was the first man to greet Mr. Roosevelt. In answer to a question regarding his candidacy for the presidential chair he said.

"Not a word about the presidential situation. I don't know anything about it, for I haven't seen a newspaper. Any newspapers which have given my interviews on the Mexican situation have misquoted men."

"That applies to what has been said about my presidential intentions," he added.

Newspaper Lied, He Says.

The colonel was informed by newspaper men that he was reported to have said that he would not run as a candidate on the republican ticket and that if he became a candidate, it would be on the progressive ticket.

"Not a word of truth in this," said the colonel. "I have not made a single declaration about the political situation in 1916.

"I haven't been asked if I would run for governor of New York, he replied in answer to another question. "If asked I would say that I would not.

"As to the river, it is extraordinary to have put on the map a river as long as the Rhine, but there is no more doubt of its existence than there is of the Rhine."

Mr. Roosevelt was asked how he felt.

"I don't look like a sick man, do I?" was his rejoinder. "I have been very ill with jungle fever, but I'm all right now. I feel fine."

It was learned, however, from Mr. Cherry, that the colonel still suffered from slight symptoms of fever. He had a chill earlier in the day. Mr. Roosevelt confessed that he had lost

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JOHN D. GUARDED LIKE A REAL TSAR

Electric System Enables Magnate To See If Sleuth Is on Job Over Estate

(By Associated Press)

New York, May 19.—In addition to doubling his guards from four to eight, John D. Rockefeller has had installed about the grounds of his Pocantico Hills estate a system of electric lights which he can flash by pressing a button at the head of his bed.

Before the demonstrations by the Industrial Workers of the World at the downtown offices of the Standard Oil Company and the threats that they would visit his estate, Mr. Rockefeller was content with four guards. These he called to from an open window when he wanted to feel assured that they were on duty. With the new system in operation the flashing of the lights is answered by the guards who press buttons and sound bells, above their employer's bed.

A similar system is being installed at the home of John D. Rockefeller, Jr.

FIVE ACQUITTED IN THE CRIMINAL COURT

SEVERAL LIQUOR CASES DISPOSED OF YESTERDAY

MILES IS CONVICTED

Young Man Was Convicted On Charge of Slandering Rev. Mr. Sanders

When the court of General Sessions convened yesterday morning the jury in the case of Will Miles, charged with slander, returned a verdict of guilty. As soon as the verdict was returned Hon. J. E. Boggs, on the minutes in the absence, trial. This application for a new trial. This applicationwill be heard some time before the week's business is concluded. Miles stands now charged with having made remarks about Rev. E. N. Sanders, an Anderson minister, being in a disreputable section of Greenville during the B. Y. P. U. convention which took place last February. The minister swore out the warrant for the defendant during the latter part of February. The South Carolina statute describes a man found guilty of slander shall be sentenced to a fine not to exceed $5,000 or a jail sentence not to exceed one year.

George Johnson was yesterday given a hearing on a charge of selling whiskey and the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

Polin Pratt was tried on the charge of selling liquor and the jury in the case returned a verdict of not guilty.

Colbert Clinkscales was tried on the charge of violating the liquor law and he, too was acquitted.

The case of Aaron C. Pruitt, charged with forgery, was called yesterday afternoon. In this case the panel was exhausted and by mutual consent of counsel the case was tried by only 11 jurors. A verdict of not guilty was returned.

[illegible] day afternoon was that of John Caudell, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. When this case was called a certificate was presented from a physician, stating the defendant was unable to appear for trial and would be in that condition for several days, following which the Presiding Judge set this case for next Monday and the court was declared adjourned.

McMahan Plan Rejected By a Caucus Yesterday

LIFE INSURANCE

Will Hold a Meeting in Columbia on [illegible]

Columbia, May 19.—The life insurance men of South Carolina life underwriters' association will meet in Columbia on June 11, for their annual banquet to be given at the Jefferson hotel.

E. J. Cleveland Baltimore, president of the national association and F. H. McMaster, insurance commissioner of South Carolina are among the prominent men [illegible] to address the meeting.

Officers are being selected, the program to be announced by Carroll H. Jones, chairman of the executive committee and W. H. Handley, secretary and treasurer of the association of Columbia.

Special to The Intelligencer.

[illegible] Columbia, May 19.—[illegible] hour it appears that the delegates to the democratic state convention next today will have before them a thoroughly predigested plan for tightening up the primary election machinery of the state. There has been a meeting all day long of delegates from all parts of the state, with D. D. McCoff of Marlboro presiding. This meeting was in the nature of a caucus to discuss all plans that have been suggested and nothing was given out for publication, although it is known that the plan of John J. McMahan to apply the restrictions of the general election was rejected. Numerous plans were discussed and it appears that before morning some [illegible] will be agreed upon, one that will be safe and at the same time plain and simple.

[illegible] of Columbia is a candidate for president of the convention and friends of J. E. McDonald of Winnsboro and Geo. B. Cromer will present their names.

John Gary Evans of Spartanburg will ask to succeed himself as chairman of the state democratic executive committee. Christie Bennett of Richland has also been suggested. The executive committee has been electing its new chairman but the convention may assume this prerogative.

Senator E. D. Smith will not attend the convention. He wired Tuesday that he had been detained at the last minute.

TIDWELL TRIAL IS EXCITING

SOLICITOR RIDICULES DEFENDANT WHO APPEALS FOR PROTECTION

GIRL ON THE STAND

Daughter Whom It Is Alleged Dead Boy Wronged Is Witness In Case Involving Father

Special to The Intelligencer.

Greenville, May 19.—The trial of the Tidwell case today produced a number of sensations. The defendant was ridiculed by the cross examination of Solicitor Bonham and one time appealed to the judge for protection.

There were frequent bitter passages between Tidwell and Solicitor Bonham and between the defendant's attorneys and the solicitor.

Frequently the judge had to compel the witness to answer questions and a large number of exceptions were offered by the defense. The defendant displayed anger and once appealed to the judge himself telling him that while he was "temporarily insane at the time of the tragedy if the solicitor kept up his fire it would be a case of permanent insanity."

The solicitor had Tidwell under a [illegible] examination for one hour and a half.

Dr. L. G. Corbett, formerly associated with the South Carolina Hospital for the Insane, was put on the stand by the defense and the usual hypothetical questions asked him. Under cross examination the State broke down his testimony wringing from him the admission that Tidwell's actions in the tragedy did not appear as those of an insane man.

It was brought out, that Tidwell's mother was temporarily insane.

[illegible] attorneys for the defense objected to every question and Judge Mauldin overruled the objection.

Ollie Tidwell, daughter of the accused was put on the stand again and wept throughout the ordeal especially when there was put in evidence a letter from Emmett Walker whom Tidwell slew on the 12th of April. It will be recalled that Tidwell walked into the office where Walker was employed and shot him down without notice. It is stated that he held out his right hand as if greeting and shot with the left.

The chief witnesses were Tidwell and his daughter, Ollie, whom he alleged Walker caused to become delinquent. The latter wept most of the time she was on the stand. Her testimony was to the effect that Walker was the only man with whom she had had improper relations. She admitted going to a house of questionable reputation, accompanied by her stepmother and that later two men, one of whom was Walker called.

The state won the day when the court ruled that testimony relative to the veracity and character of the girl was relevant and that the wife's actions could be brought into the question. The defense contended that it was only what Tidwell knew, or what he did not know that was relevant. The state contended that it wished to show that Tidwell could not have been so greatly shocked at the information given him several days prior to the killing of Walker, since he had entertained suspicions of his family before that time. On this ground the evidence concerning the character of the woman was admitted. The defense will rest its case tomorrow.

It is well to plant grazing crops early in order to make full use of them in time to get them out of the way of the planting of winter cover crops in the early fall, which is a very important part of orchard husbandry.

MEXICO REBELS ROUT FEDERALS

CARRANZA AID SAYS VILLA HAS SWEPT ALL BEFORE HIM LATELY

NO DETAILS GIVEN

Wilson Connected Closely By Wire With Mediators and Work Starts At Once

(By Associated Press)

El Paso, Texas, May 19.—General Francisco Villa has defeated 5,000 Federals at Paredon, according to a message received here today from Isidro Fabela, acting minister of foreign relations in Carranza's cabinet. The date of the engagement was not given.

According to the message the federals suffered a severe loss in killed and wounded and it was said two federal generals were among the killed. The message states General Villa had captured 800 prisoners, several machine guns, 600,000 rounds of ammunition and a large quantity of military supplies.

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Washington, May 19.—With mediation proceedings moved to Niagara Falls, activity here in the Mexican situation was notably relaxed today. It was the evident purpose of the Washington government to give the conference the greatest opportunity to work out its plans with the least possible influence from the outside.

American commissioners left early in the day for the scene of the conference and later were followed by Minister Bustamante of Chile, the last of the mediators to leave Washington. All will be on hand for opening tomorrow.

Wilson in Close Touch.

A special telephone wire from the [illegible] American representatives at Niagara Falls to the White House was installed during the day to keep the president in close touch with every step of the proceedings. All important questions will be submitted to the president before the American commissioners take action.

Anxiety over persistent lack of information as to American Consul John S. Silliman, at Saltillo, and ten members of the Smith family reported held at Tonola, Chiapas, continued at the state department, and diplomatic efforts to obtain definite reports were pressed.

The state department, in response to urgent messages, received a report from the Brazilian minister in Mexico City stating that representations had been made to the Mexican several times regarding the Smith's and that the Brazilian minister had urged the British consul at Chiapas to use his good offices to secure the release of the Americans.

Navy department dispatches made it clear that Mexican federals, fleeing from defeat at Tampico, had left the oil fields about that city. Admiral Badger reported that between 2,000 and 4,000 troops under General Zaragoza had stopped at Panuco City, another oil center, but later evacuated that town. The oil wells there were left unharmed. Oil operatives are returning to resume work in the Tampico field, where all is reported quiet.

The constitutionalist authorities have ordered operations resumed in the cotton mills at Torreon.

State and war department officials awaited further information as to the fate of Private Samuel Parks. No information as to Parks was forthcoming from any source, although the horses that disappeared through the stockade fence near Vera Cruz with the American soldier, were mysteriously returned to the American lines.

Secretary Bryan made clear today the status of Dr. Edward W. Ryan of Scranton, Pa., at the time he was thrown into jail by the federal authorities at Frontera on the charge of being a spy. He was not commissioned to collect information for the state department and was not conected with Red Cross.

Dr. Ryan and Mr. O'Shaughnessy called at the White House and talked [illegible] but did not see the president.

Duel Fatal to Deputy.

Gall Bill in Enemies a Budapest, Hungary, March 19.—Count Stephen Tissen, the Hungarian premier, and Stephen Rakovsky, a member of the lower house, fought a duel with rapiers this afternoon. After both were officially wounded the duellists left the field without effecting a reconciliation.

The duel grew out of an altercation in a committee room of the Hungarian parliament.

TOLLS VOTE ON MAY 27, PLANS

KERN, MAJORITY LEADER WILL ASK COLLEAGUES TO AID

MAY ARBITRATE IT

Vardaman and Others In Favor of That Policy According To Sentiment Expressed

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 19.—Evidence that State administration leaders do not propose to permit action on the tolls exemption repeal bill to be long delayed was given tonight when Democratic leader Kern announced he would ask the senate tomorrow to give unanimous consent for a vote on May 27.

Senator Kern said while he was not confident unanimous consent would be agreed to, his motion would now serve as a remainder to senators who wished to speak that an effort will be made to get a vote in the near future. He added that if the senate did not agree, report would be had in a few days to night sessions. Moreover, the senate meeting hour will be advanced tonight.

The majority leader was confident that despite of the rejection of an agreement to vote May 27, debate may be concluded by that date.

Some senators opposed to repeal were of the opinion, however, that a vote could not be taken before week after next and if a considerable number of senators desired to speak democratic leaders might have trouble in working out their new plan.

There was further proof today of a sentiment to arbitrate the tolls question. Senator Vardaman, of Mississippi, introduced an amendment for the suspension of the exemption clause until July 1, 1915, and the submission of the construction of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty to a joint conference of British and American commissioners. The conclusions of the conference should not be binding, until ratified by both countries.

In the meantime, the resolution would provide, the tolls colected on coastwise vessels would be held in trust and in event the right of the United States to exempt its vessels was upheld, the tolls would be returned to vessel owners.

"The honor of a nation, like honor of a man should be guarded most zealously," said Senator Vardaman in support of his amendment.

Senator Vardaman has been counted as an uncompromising advocate of exemption and his amendment attracted much attention. During the day Senator Gallinger in a speech the question was not arbitrable and Senator Burton of Ohio spoke in favor of the repeal of the exemption.

TRUST PROGRAM IN HOUSE

Rules Committee Limits Debate to 32 Hours all Said.

Washington, May 19.—The house rules committee today reported a special rule providing for a total of 32 hours general debate on the anti trust program with unhumited discussion under the five minute rule, the house to hold night sessions until the three bills are disposed of.

Marines to Protect Duke.

Durazzo, Albania, May 19.—A mixed force of marines of the international fleet was landed here today for the purpose of protection of Prince William of Albania, who accepted the rulership of the country on February 21.

PINCHOT SEEKS A SENATE TOGA

Boss Boise Penrose Named To Lead Republicans in Keystone State Again This Year

(By Associated Press)

Philadelphia, May 19.—Pennsylvania today for the first time held primaries to choose candidates for United States senator, governor justices of the supreme and superior and courts as well as for other state offices, congress and legislature.

Boise Penrose was the republican nomination for senator, and Martin G. Brumbaugh was virtually unopposed as the republican candidate for governor.

On the democratic ticket Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer was selected as the party candidate for senator, defeating Henry Budd, of Philadelphia.

Gifford Pinchot was unopposed for the Washington-Progressive nomination for senator. There was a warm contest for the democratic nomination for governor between Vance C. McCormick of Harrisburg and Mitchell J. Ryan, of Philadelphia. Early returns did not indicate which was victor.

MELLEN LAYS BARE SECRETS SHOWING MORGAN AS BIG BOSS

LEPER AT LARGE, BLUE IS ALARMED

Inmate of Detention Camp Flees Guards and is Supposed To Be On Way to Washington

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 19.—Officials of the United States public health service were exercised today over the reported escape of John R. Early, the leper whose case has attracted public attention for several years, from the Diamond Head quarantine station near Port Townsend, Washington.

Reports to Surgeon General Blue stated that Early escaped some time last Friday and is believed to be on his way to this city where he once was confined.

"The escape of Early," said Surgeon General Blue, "again demonstrates the necessity for a national leprosarium, where patients can be properly cared for and safely guarded."

SONS OF VETERANS TO REORGANIZE TODAY

PLAN TO PUT LOCAL CAMP IN FINE SHAPE

TO MEET TONIGHT

Will Hold Conference In the Chamber of Commerce At 6 O'clock and Make Plans

The meeting of those interested to the Sons of Veterans and more especially camp W. W. Humphreys of this order, held in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock drew a fair-sized attendance and numerous plans were considered and discussed for getting the camp reorganized, the election of new officers, and the detailing of the work to be done by the Sons during the coming Confederate reunion.

Yesterday the meeting was presided over by J. W. Quattlebaum commander of Camp W. W. Humphreys and Mr. Quattlebaum stated that the purpose of the meeting was to arrange for the coming reunion and to also plan for reorganizing the local camp of Sons.

After considerable discussion it was decided that a second meeting would be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce, at which time every one in the city desiring to join the camp or interested in the work is asked to be present. Complete plans will be made at the meeting this afternoon for entertaining the visitors here during the reunion.

One feature of the duties assigned to the Sons of Veterans is caring for the sponsors during their stay in Anderson and seeing to their comfort and entertainment. This work will be divided up this afternoon and arrangements made for showing every one of the young lady visitors a royal good tim while they are here.

A committee was appointed at the meeting yesterday to go all over the city today and interview every one in Anderson desiring to join the Sons of Veterans. All those eligible for membership are asked to meet this afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce at 6 o'clock. The committee requests that any one desiring to join will hand his name to either Capt. William Laughlin, F. B. Crayton or Watson Bell during today. Mr. Quattlebaum may also be communicated with.

It is hoped that the meeting this afternoon will draw a large attendance and everything can be finished up this afternoon for the entertainment of the veterans and the sponsors in royal style during their stay in Anderson.

To Probe Mental Defectives.

Washington, May 19.—Creation of divisions of mental hygiene and rural sanitation in the United States public service to study and investigate mental disorders and their care and prevent was proposed in a bill introduced today by Representative Adamson of Georgia. The bill purposes the dissemination of information among farmers and others to prevent and suppress communicable diseases.

Stops Arms Sale on Border.

Laredo, Tex., May 19.—Local dealers in arms were today ordered to stop selling guns and ammunition. The order was issued by Ed Matson, commanding the local national guard company, being promulgated under a state law. The purpose was mainly to minimize the danger of gun fighting in individual quarrels, so many persons including Mexicans residing in Texas, have purchased arms as to increase the possibility of serious brawls.

NEW HAVEN'S FLING IN HIGH FINANCE IS TOLD TO U. S. PROBERS

ROOSEVELT SEEN IN AN INNOCENT ROLE

Millions Passed in Sale or Purchase of Competing Lines at Nod from the Great J. P. Morgan Says Witness

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 19.—A story of the late J. P. Morgan's absolute domination in affairs of the New Haven Railroad, of the spending of millions in awed and ignorant silence at the command of the all-powerful financial ruler was told to the interstate commerce commission today by Charles M. Mellen, former president of the New Haven.

Dramatic Is Hearing.

It was the most extraordinary chapter yet unfolded in the commission's inquiry into the alleged exploitation of the great New England Railroad and disappearance of fortunes from its treasury through acquisition at extravagant prices of subsidiary properties.

There was not time in a single day in which to crowd details of all the incidents and events dealt with in the witness' testimony. He barely touched on some of the big things, paving the way for exhaustive questioning that will continue tomorrow.

Members of the commission, counsel and interested spectators fairly hung on every word of Mr. Mellen today as his story developed dramatically under the examination by Chief Counsel Folk. Everybody listened with absorbed attention and [illegible] evident amazement, as he related how he had stood in awe of Mr. Morgan because of his comprehensive grasp and perfect prescience of financial matters; how he had consulted with Theodore Roosevelt then president of the United States, regarding the purchase of the Boston and Maine Railroad; how he had prevented the late E. H. Harriman from acquiring the Boston and Maine by asking it himself for the New Haven; and now he had dealt with the late Police Inspector Thomas F. Byrnes, of New York, to obtain the West Chester stock held by persons whom he declines to be connected with Tammany Hall.

Answers Folk's Questions.

As when on the stand last week Mr. Mellen gave his testimony with apparent willingness, answering every question readily and concisely that is every question except one. He did try to avoid telling about the time when Mr. Morgan humiliated him by brusquely refusing to give him information concerning the West Chester transaction to which he thought, as president of the New Haven he was entitled.

"When he finally related the incident, his face was drawn into hard lines, and he clasped his hands over the table in front of him almost convulsively. His voice indicated no signs of emotion, however, continuing clear, distinct and resonant.

"Later he even gave the story a touch of humor. When Directors Hemingway and Skinner, of the New Haven, demanded of him why the road was expending $11,000,000 on the West Chester purchase, he said, he offered to appoint each of them a commission to find out, that he had "barked his shins" in a futile endeavor to obtain information from Mr. Morgan, and that they could try if they desired.

"They ducked," concluded Mr. Mellen, grimly, and there was a ripple of laughter.

Conferred with Roosevelt.

Particular interest was aroused by Mr. Mellen's account of his conference with the then president, Colonel Roosevelt, respecting the acquisition of the Boston and Maine. He explained that he was a great admirer of Colonel Roosevelt, and frequently conferred with him about important questions. Colonel Roosevelt said to him at that conference, according to the testimony, that he was not a lawyer and was not prepared to advise what he should do in the matter of the purchase, but on Mr. Mellen's statement of the situation he said there might be nothing objectionable in it. Mr. Mellen added that the president said he could countenance no illegal action in the matter and suggested that he confer with Commissioner Lane of the interstate commerce commission. From Mr. Lane, he said, he got no expression of opinion.

A letter was submitted by Mr. Folk written on May 12, [illegible] Whitney to Mr. Mellen, suggesting that he "say something at an early day touching the Boston and Maine matter;" "that" a large public is still to be reckoned with; "and concluding with this paragraph:

"I have thought it possible the Life

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