

SENATOR ALGER YIELDS TO DEATH

Expired at His Home in Washington, D. C.

FORMERLY SECRETARY OF WAR

The End Came Without Premonitory Symptoms—General Alger Has Suffered Years with Heart Trouble and Had Been in Bad Health.

Washington, Jan. 26.—United States Senator Russell A. Alger, of Michigan, died suddenly at his residence in this city at 8:45 Thursday morning, following an acute attack of oedema of the lungs, which he was stricken shortly after 8 o'clock.

Although Senator Alger had not been in good health for some time, his death was unexpected. The senator the night before was apparently in his usual health. During the day he transacted considerable business, and was at the war department up to a late hour in the afternoon. At the bedside when he passed away were Mrs. Alger and their son, Captain F. M. Alger and wife. Senator Alger



RUSSELL A. ALGER.

attended the session of the senate on Wednesday and remained in the senate chamber until about 4 o'clock in the afternoon listening to the debate on the Brownsville affair.

The news of his death was at once communicated to President Roosevelt and Vice President Fairbanks.

The funeral was held at 2 o'clock at the family residence, and the body was sent to Detroit, Mich., for interment.

Senator Alger is survived by his widow and five children, as follows: Mrs. Charles B. Pike, of Chicago; Mrs. H. B. Sheldon, of Detroit; Mrs. William E. Bailey, of Harrisburg, Pa.; Russell A. Alger, Jr., of Detroit, who is now in Florida, and Captain F. M. Alger.

Although entitled, by army regulations, to a funeral escort, composed of one regiment of infantry, two troops of cavalry and a battery of field artillery, the family of General Alger has decided that the escort shall be confined to a squadron of cavalry. In



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detail, the troops at Ft. Wayne will furnish the escort. The family of the late senator are making efforts to communicate with Russell Alger, Jr., who left Jacksonville, Fla., Wednesday for St. Augustine, on the launch Glenda.

General Alger was secretary of war during the administration of President McKinley, from March 5, 1897, to August 1, 1899, a period during which the administration of the war department was brought into prominence through its activity of the war with Spain, and the military operations in the Philippines that succeeded it.

Mr. Alger was patriotic, earnest and devoted to the interests of the army, and especially considerate of the welfare of the enlisted men. He was gentle, kindly man, with great confidence in his friends and associates, and was much beloved by his subordinates. He was the subject of unjust criticism because of the lack of preparations for war when war came, although for this he was in nowise responsible. His record as a soldier in the civil war was long, useful and highly honorable.

As a mark of respect to his memory it has been ordered that all flags at the military posts be displayed at half staff on the day of the funeral of Mr. Alger.

The session of the senate Friday was held entirely with reference to the death of Senator Alger. Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale delivered a special prayer, after which the reading of the journal was interrupted by Senator Burrows, who presented resolutions expressing the regret and sorrow of the body at the sudden demise and providing for a special committee of 12 senators to represent the senate at the funeral in this city and attend the body to Detroit. The resolutions further extended an invitation to the Michigan delegation in the house to attend the services and accompany the body.

The resolutions were then agreed to and the senate at 12:47 p. m. adjourned as a further mark of respect.

Representative Bishop, chairman of the Michigan delegation in the house also called the attention of that body to the death of the late Senator Alger, of Michigan, and offered the usual resolutions. After adopting the resolutions the house adjourned.

Charged with Theft.

New Orleans, Jan. 26.—Phil Perry, a 15-year-old boy from Brooklyn, was taken into custody here, charged with having stolen \$250 in cash and \$3,000 worth of jewelry from his grandfather, Solomon Perry, of Coney Island. The police say that the boy has been searched for all over the country for several weeks. He says he has visited several southern cities. Together with Bert Webb, another Brooklyn lad, who accompanied him, Perry will be sent home.

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TO MEET NEXT TIME AT MACON

Immigration Association Accepts Invitation of Central City.

Albany, Va., Jan. 26.—The executive committee of the Georgia Immigration Association has accepted the invitation of Macon to hold an immigration conference in that city on Feb. 19 and 20, also an invitation to a smoker on the evening of the 19th.

Through Chairman John A. Benjamin, the executive committee is sending invitations to Hon. Oscar S. Strauss, secretary of commerce and labor; Hon. Frank P. Sargent, commissioner of immigration; Governor J. M. Terrell, Governor-elect Hoke Smith; Hon. Thomas E. Watson, and Hon. T. G. Hudson, commissioner of immigration for Georgia, to be present at the Macon conference, and express their views on immigration. Invitations are now being sent to many farmers of the state, to fruit growers, turpentine importers, lumber men, mill men, state and municipal trade bodies. It is apparent from what has already been revealed that this conference is going to be one of the most vital ever held in the state. The Georgia Immigration association will submit its plan of action for the inspection of the public at this meeting.

The Grip.

"Before we can sympathize with others, we must have suffered ourselves." No one can realize the suffering attendant upon an attack of the grip, unless he had the actual experience. There is probably no disease that causes so much physical and mental agony, or which so successfully defies medical aid. All danger from the grip, however, may be avoided by the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy, not one case has ever been reported that resulted in pneumonia or that has not recovered. For sale by all druggists.

Bogus Checks in Knoxville.

Knoxville, Tenn., Jan. 26.—Bogus checks payable to order of Dr. William F. Barry, who is believed to be a check swindler who operated in this city a few weeks ago under another name, were refused payment by the Third National bank of this city. One check for \$75 came from Montgomery, Ala., and bears endorsement of A. L. Cassidy and C. L. Ruth & Son. The other check, for \$150, is from Mobile, with Thomas J. O'Connor as indorser. The Third National refused payment. In demanding them "No account with us." The suspected swindler is believed here to have left the Alabama cities and possibly to have gone to New Orleans, Jacksonville, Atlanta or Macon. The man operating here posed as a devout Roman Catholic, and his speculations were chiefly among members of that faith.

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MEXICAN TROOPS FIGHT YAQUIS

Desperate Battle is Fought in the Mountains of State of Sonora.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 26.—Reports have been received here of a desperate fight between Yaqui Indians and Mexican troops in the mountainous region southeast of Guaymas, Sonora, in the section which the station of London, which was destroyed by the Yaquis in December.

The Mexican troops have been hunting the Yaquis since the Llancho incident and have had frequent skirmishes with them, but not until Thursday were they able to force an engagement with any considerable force.

In this fight, 20 Mexicans were killed, and a number wounded. The Yaquis were defeated with considerable loss, but as they took both their dead and wounded with them when retreating, it is not known how many were killed.

Owing to the remoteness of the conflict from communication, particulars cannot be obtained.

Representatives of the Mexican government were without advices of the battle.

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Will Relieve Fuel Shortage.

Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 26.—In the next thirty days several cargoes of coal will be received on Puget sound to relieve the fuel shortage now existing at Tacoma and Seattle. According to advices received the steamer Lyria sailed from Moji Monday with one thousand tons of coal. The steamship Quito is to bring 5,000 tons and the steamship Pleides 1,000 tons. Never before in the history of this port has coal had to be imported from the Orient to meet the local demand.

A Jamaica Lady Speaks Highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

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Death Won Out in This Race.

Dawsonville, Ga., Jan. 26.—Mrs. Cris Young died suddenly at her home near here. She became sick and her husband, fearing she might fall out of her chair while he went for assistance, tied her to the chair. When he got back she was dead. The aged couple lived near town.

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MONEY IS GIVEN FOR EXPOSITION

City Makes Appropriation for Exhibit at Jamestown Exposition.

Atlanta, Jan. 26.—An appropriation of \$3,000 was made by the city council and aldermanic board Thursday afternoon when the January appropriation sheet was passed up by both bodies. The money will be used to furnish a room and exhibit in the Georgia state building on the exposition grounds at Jamestown, and it is believed that this amount will be ample for the purpose.

The mayor will later appoint a committee to look after the expenditure of the money and a commissioner will be appointed to visit Jamestown and prepare the Atlanta exhibit.

The appropriation was made without a word of dissent in the city council and was concurred in by the aldermanic board by a unanimous vote.

To Abolish Bucket Shops.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 26.—The senate has passed a bill providing for the abolishment of bucket shops in South Carolina. The same bill passed the house last year, but was killed in the senate. The vote was more than 2 to 1, in favor of the bill.

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