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SENATE SCANDAL

Charges Involve Moral Character Western Senator. Accused by Office Seeker of Insulting His Wife. SENATOR'S NAME WITHHELD. He is Democrat From a Western State. U. S. Attorney Wilson Not Yet Decided to Investigate. Washington, April 4.—Charges involving the moral conduct of a Democratic senator from a western state have been presented to U. S. Attorney Wilson here, and he is investigating. A man seeking federal office charges that when his wife, acting in his behalf, went to the senator, the latter acted in an improper manner and later repeated this conduct, calling on the woman at a hotel where the husband asserts he posted witnesses. The senator declares the charges are blackmail and part of a plot to ruin him politically. He declares that the witnesses against him are persons who represent his political enemies in his own state. The assy charged against the senator is alleged to have happened a week ago. No attempt to keep the matter quiet was made either by the woman concerned, her husband or the witnesses but no official steps were taken at this time. Later the accusers stated that they intended to drop the affair, and finally decided to get the advice of a lawyer. The charges were then brought to the attention of the United States attorney. United States Attorney Wilson will not confirm a report that he has presented the witnesses to the grand jury. A grand jury will be convened in session over a senator after congress goes into session next Monday. The name of the senator is withheld as no official action has been taken yet.

AGREE ON TARIFF TO HIT THEM HARD

Free Wool and Low Duty on Sugar Is Result. President Wilson and Congress Leaders Make Plans. BIG LOSS OF REVENUE. New Rates Will Take \$80,000,000 a Year From U. S. Income Tax Schedule Also Announced Today. Washington, April 4.—With President Wilson and Congressional leaders practically agreed upon free wool and a very low duty on sugar eventually to become free, the ways and means committee today began drawing a report on the new tariff bill, estimating the loss of revenue from the new rates at \$80,000,000 a year. The revenue from the income tax will be estimated all like amount to be derived in this way: Incomes of \$4,000 to \$20,000 one per cent; \$20,000 to \$50,000 two per cent; \$50,000 to \$100,000 three per cent; all over \$100,000 four per cent; flat tax on corporations two per cent. The exemption now stands this way, and is not expected to be changed. Among the numerous additions to the free list will be steel rails. Cuts will be made along the line on the metal schedule. After the senate finance committee reviewed the bill to drop a subcommittee went into conference with Chairman Underwood of the ways and means committee. Three Years Too Short for Sugar Men. Col. Sol Wexler, a banker of New Orleans, told the president today that the sugar planters of Louisiana could not adjust their business in three years to compete with Cuba and the rest of the world in growing sugar, and said the president must have been misinformed if he believed it could be done. Col. Wexler went away from the White House with the distinct impression, he said, that unless the Louisiana people accepted the compromise the president would urge free sugar in any event. There is now believed to be a general agreement all around. The possibility of a compromise on sugar makes it apparent that there will be less difficulty than at first expected. It appeared certain after the meeting that free wool would be retained in the measure. Senators Simmons, James Watson and Hughes were appointed a committee. The cabinet discussed the sugar compromise and the whole tariff bill situation at the regular meeting today. It was said there were no differences of opinion among the members or with the president.

FIGHT TO FINISH FIGHT WITH FIRE

Suffragettes in England Have Reached Vicious Stage. Railroad Systems Warned of Threat to Burn Stations. GIRLS WITH FIRE IGNITERS. Arrested With Paper, Oil, Candles and Matches. Empty Trains Dynamited and Militants Are Suspected. London, April 4.—Two girls suspected of being militant suffragettes about to reach an outrage were arrested today before dawn. They carried bags containing paraffin, paper saturated with oil, candles and matches. In each of the bags was a paper bearing the scrawl: "Beware how you treat Mrs. Pankhurst." The girls when brought up at the police court were named as Phyllis Brady and Millicent Dean. They had explained to the policeman who arrested them that they were returning from their Easter holidays. Warnings were sent out today by the directorates of all the railroad systems in the United Kingdom to the effect that militant suffragettes had threatened to burn stations in various parts of the country. Patrols will be stationed at all stations and in tunnels. Some empty trains were dynamited near Stockport, Cheshire, in the course of the night. Suffragettes are suspected of having committed the outrage. Infernal Machine Found. A canister of explosives had been placed under a seat in one of the cars with a quantity of fire lighters saturated with resin and oil. The force of the explosion splintered several cars. There also was an attempt during the night to blow up Oxted station in Surrey on the London, Brighton and South coast railway but the damage caused by the explosion was inconspicuous. A traveling basket was found in a lavatory containing an elaborately devised infernal machine to go off at 3 a. m. and explode a charge of gun powder and several cans of gasoline. Apparently the gun powder exploded without igniting the petrol. A revolver found apparently had been dropped during a hurried flight. Four Months for Miss Hocken. London, April 4.—Miss Olive Hocken, a militant suffragette was found guilty at the Old Bailey session today of conspiracy in connection with a bomb being put on the London and North Western railway. She was sentenced to four months. Huerta Has Plan Pedro Lascurain to Be Named Provisional President. But He Has Only 14,000 Troops to Support Him. El Paso, Tex., April 4.—To satisfy all factions, general Huerta has agreed to name Pedro Lascurain as provisional president, said advices received here directly from the national capital. Lascurain would serve out the uncompleted term of the late Madero. As minister of exterior relations in Madero's former cabinet, Lascurain is entitled to serve as next in line in view of the death of Madero and Vice President Gomez. The Huerta cabinet would be retained by the compromise. This arrangement, it is said, has been offered to the constitutionalists, now fighting the Huerta government in northern Mexico. It is declared that Governor Carranza of Coahuila has agreed that the Sonora insurrectionists will fall in line. The decision of the present provisional president is said to have been occasioned by the recent uprising of Zapata in the south, which places the Huerta forces between two fires. Mexican men estimate that Huerta has not more than 14,000 troops in all Mexico with which to meet the situation. This is even less than Porfirio Diaz possessed in combating the Madero revolution. Madero on taking office began recruiting volunteer troops, with the ex-insurrector corps as a basis. In the meantime, the regular army was not recruited to normal strength. The desertion to the opposite side of the majority of the volunteer groups has left the actual government forces far below par.

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King of Montenegro Is Game to the Core. He Will Hold Scutari and Make It Capital. DEFIES THE FIVE POWERS. Big Nations Combine and Send Ships to Bully. Austrian Press Hysterical Over Affair. London, April 4.—King Nicholas of Montenegro is determined to capture and hold Scutari, says a dispatch from Cetinje, which gives the following statement from the King: "I assure you that I and my people mean to keep the land we have taken during the war. We mean to take and hold it. This is the dominating impulse of the Montenegrins who know too well it is far better to die fighting than to go on living as we are doing now." The king pointed out that the possession of the fertile lands of the Zeta valley was a question of life and death to his country and that his people were prepared to defy the will of Europe and fight for victory or extermination. "Scutari will be my capital in the future," declared the king. Five Powers Will Send Ships. London, April 4.—Instructions were wired today to the ships of the five European nations joining in the naval demonstration against the kingdom of Montenegro to proceed at once to the scene and establish a blockade of the Montenegrin coast. Final details with regard to the demonstration were settled at a two day meeting of the European ambassadors in London today. Although Russia has been unable to send a ship she has fully acquiesced. Austria Is Hysterical. Vienna, April 4.—Little Montenegro's defiance of the powers is the subject of a series of hysterical outbursts in the newspapers here. There are indications the Austrian editors believe, that some of the powers are not supporting the program agreed upon for the coercion of Montenegro. All the papers print today an apparently inspired declaration announcing that Austria-Hungary expects to act in concert with the other powers in case the naval demonstration by the powers is insufficient. One editor adds that "the city of Scutari must belong to the future state of Albania with or without the consent of Europe." The Reichs Post declares that if Russia prefers to see things otherwise than the way in which the Austrian ambassadorial conferences in London will be null and void. It is stated here that during the recent meeting in the vicinity of Scutari the Montenegrin and Serbian besieging armies lost 2,000 killed and the same number wounded.

OLSON ON STAND

Minnesota Professor Tells of Killing Darling. Mrs. Olson Will Also Testify About the Broken Home. St. Paul, April 4.—Professor Carl Olson, formerly of the University of Minnesota, who has been scheduled to resume the witness stand in his own defense today and complete his story of the murder of Clyde N. Darling, the alleged wrecker of the Olson home, Olson was expected to follow her husband on the witness stand and to corroborate his statement relative to her illicit relations with Darling. The stated indifference exhibited by the defendant since his arrest, was broken yesterday for the first time. He wept while relating his wife's confession to him and her plea that Darling be kept from her work. Hundreds of women have crowded the courtroom since the trial began. Many were in tears during Professor Olson's testimony. Madero's mother-in-law, Mrs. Olson was very popular, continuing to pour in daily. Darling Hypnotized Her. "She told me this—Darling has a supernatural influence over me. He takes me in his arms and holds me tight. He looks into my eyes and hypnotizes me. I cannot resist him." This is one of the many statements made today by Professor Oscar M. Olson, concerning the alleged illicit relations between his wife and Clyde N. Darling, with the murder of whom Olson is charged. Under cross examination Olson oftentimes weeping gave further details of the confession which he said his wife made to him.

U. S. LOOKS INTO IT

Will Investigate Charges of Cruelty in England. To See if Miss Emerson, Suffragette, Was a Victim. Washington, April 4.—Officials at the state department today said the attitude of the United States in the case of Miss Zelle Emerson, the American militant suffragette, imprisoned in London, would be determined after further report, the London embassy has complained to the state department charges that the young woman was subjected to cruel treatment. It was pointed out today that if Mrs. Emerson, mother of the young woman, has complained to the embassy, she must have been subsequent to the sending of Charge Laughlin's report of yesterday which said the mother had filed no charges, although she was granted an hour's interview with her daughter. Secretary Bryan will immediately take up with Chandler Anderson, the counselor of the department, the question of what is to be done. There are here no precedents, the nearest similar case being that of Mrs. Maybrick, when some of the highest officials in the United States petitioned the British government to release the American woman from the prison where she was serving a life sentence. It was held by various secretaries, notably Blaine and Hay, that there was no warrant for a direct official request from the United States government for clemency in Mrs. Maybrick's case, so these representations were unofficial though made through the American embassy. Secretary Bryan wishes first to establish the complete regularity of the judicial proceedings in the case of Miss Emerson, and if he follows the ordinary course and ascertains that there has been no discrimination against the woman on account of her nationality and that she has not been treated in a cruel and inhuman manner, forbidden by the principles of the law common to all nations, he likewise probably will confine himself to the exercise of his functions in an unofficial way to secure an amelioration of Miss Emerson's condition. Doctor Cannot See Mrs. Emerson. London, April 4.—Reginald McKenna, the British home secretary, today curtly refused to permit the physician chosen by Mrs. Emerson of Jackson, Mich., to examine her daughter, Zelle, a militant suffragette now in prison for inducing smashing and supposed to be suffering from the results of forcible feeding. Secretary McKenna's reply to Mrs. Emerson's request was as follows: "I regret that I cannot grant your request to have your daughter examined by a physician of your own choosing. The condition of your daughter's health is satisfactory and gives no cause for anxiety. If your daughter continues to be of good behavior she will be released from prison on April 8." After receiving this refusal Mrs. Emerson visited Dr. Mansell Moulton, whom she had chosen in event of granting of her request. She described the condition in which she had found her daughter and the doctor thereupon stated: "I am very sorry to hear of this. Serious and perhaps permanent loss of health will be the result unless your daughter be immediately released."

FOUR WERE HANGED.

Two Whites and Two Negroes in Alabama Jail. Montgomery, April 4.—Two white men and two negroes all convicted of murder were hanged today in the jail here. The first to mount the scaffold was C. W. Jones, white, sentenced for the murder of Sloan Rowan. The rope slipped and Jones was not pronounced dead until 25 minutes later. The others were Arnold Gilmer, white, condemned for the murder of Mrs. Lucilla Tipton; John Adams, a negro, who killed a patrolman, and Colman German, a negro, who killed his wife.

ETHEL ROOSEVELT BECAME BRIDE OF DR. DERBY TODAY.



Oyster Bay, April 4.—The ceremony which at noon today united in marriage Miss Ethel Roosevelt, youngest daughter of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, and Dr. Richard Derby, at Christ Episcopal church here, was rehearsed yesterday afternoon. The full ceremony was performed at the church with all of the bridesmaids and ushers present. The church was not elaborately decorated for the wedding because of the wishes of Colonel and Mrs. Roosevelt to have the ceremony performed with as little display as possible. The reception at the house was a short one. Not more than 200 guests were present and these were the friends of Miss Roosevelt and Dr. Derby. The friends of the colonel and Mrs. Roosevelt have been omitted from the list of invitations because this was no White House wedding such as that which marked the marriage of Miss Alice Roosevelt to former Representative Nicholas Longworth. One of the reasons for the limited number of guests was the fact that there are not accommodations at the church or Sagamore Hill for more than those invited. While Col. and Mrs. Roosevelt have declined to say anything about the presents received by Miss Roosevelt it is believed she has received many of the family and those who have been and are now prominent in the public life of the country. Dr. George E. Talmadge, the local minister, performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Cotton Smith, president of the church which Miss Ethel Roosevelt attended in Washington while her father was president and the Rev. Dr. Endott Peabody, master of Groton school, Groton, Mass., where Quentin Roosevelt is a student. The bride's attendants were the Misses Helen Coster, Josephine Osborn, Margaret Tucker, Mary Derby and Cornelia Langdon. The bridegroom's brother, Roger A. Derby, was best man. They will sail for Europe tomorrow.

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TO TRY MARRIAGE

Girls in New York Given a Chance to Test It. If Not Satisfactory, Annulment Is in Order. New York, April 4.—Trial marriages for young women under 18 years of age are legal in New York according to a decision yesterday by Supreme Justice Coahalan. If she marries with the consent of her parents, and leaves her husband before she attains that age, the present law in effect permits her to come into court and obtain a decree of annulment as a matter of course, he declared. "This is to all intent and purposes provided in such cases of trial marriages," he said. "It is a contention the remedy for which lies with the legislature and not with the court." The decision was in the case of Mrs. Ivy Murchell Coster, who sued to annul her marriage with Norman B. Coster. The justice found that although Mrs. Coster's mother had consented to the marriage the daughter was only 17 at the time and was entitled to maintain an action for annulment.

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WEATHER FORECAST FOR KANSAS.

Fair with probably frost tonight, warmer Saturday.