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PADUCAH, KY., WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 5, 1906.

\$1.00 A YEAR

IGORROTES SAY HUNT ROBS THEM

Their Manager Indicted By Memphis Grand Jury.

Dr. Hunt Brought Them to the St. Louis Exposition and Has Exhibited Them Since.

CLAIMS HE IS PERSECUTED.

Memphis, Sept. 5.—Upon the testimony of Felio and Dengay, two full-blooded Igorrotes, members of the band which visited this city last year, indictments charging "larceny" and "larceny from the person," a felony under the statutes of this state, were returned against Dr. Truman K. Hunt by the Shelby county grand jury Friday morning, August 10, to Judge Moss in the criminal court.

Assistant Attorney-General Kortrecht, who immediately applied for requisition papers, directing that they be sent from Nashville to Chicago, Ill., where Hunt was arrested yesterday.

The United States government is the prime mover in the criminal prosecution against Dr. Hunt.

The indictments against Dr. Hunt charge him with the larceny of \$28 from Felio, and with feloniously taking \$17 from the person of Dengay. The alleged crime is said to have been committed while the victims were members of the band of Igorrotes which were exhibited in East End park in July, 1905.

Dr. Hunt and his Igorrotes visited Paducah with a carnival company last spring. Dr. Hunt brought the band from the Philippines, where he was working under the commission. He exhibited them at the World's fair in St. Louis and married a Louisville girl in the Igorrote village. The romance was the talk of the country.

A year ago he was arrested in New York at the instance of a woman, who said he married her before going to the Philippines, where he married a native woman. Nothing ever came of this charge and Dr. Hunt when here stated these attacks are stirred up by his enemies, jealous because he secured such a valuable concession from the government.

MADE MILLIONS.

Lost Love and Fortune and Is Dying.

Los Angeles, Sept. 5.—Alexander Belford, once an influential Chicago publisher, and the son-in-law of the junior partner in the Rand-McNally publishing house, is believed to be dying of paralysis at the Good Samaritan hospital. Mr. Belford accumulated more than \$1,000,000 and married a woman whose fortune at this time is estimated to be close to the two million mark. In his later years he permitted both his wealth and his wife's affection to slip away from him and finally was reduced to accepting a clerkship in this city. At 10 o'clock tonight the physicians at the hospital said there was no chance in Mr. Belford's condition. They entertained no hope for the man's recovery.

SCIENTISTS BURNED.

Look Into Crater of Mount Colima and Get Theirs.

Mexico City, Mex., Sept. 5.—With their bodies severely burned by the fires of Mount Colima volcano, fourteen adventurous delegates to the international congress of geologists which meets in this city this week returned here today. The volcano was pouring forth great volumes of smoke, but this did not deter the explorers from advancing to the very edge of the crater. A hot and sudden blast of fire from the depths below badly scorched the bodies of the men and they beat a hurried retreat.

DRESS RUINED, SUES RAILROAD

Young Woman Wants Damages Because Engine Spoiled Her Gown.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Sept. 5.—Miss Julia Wahmeyer, arrayed in white broadcloth to go on an excursion, was crossing the railroad track this morning when a locomotive suddenly discharged steam and soot so rapidly that before she could escape her dress was ruined. The young woman says the dress was worth \$75. She engaged lawyers to sue the Pennsylvania railroad for that amount.

It is the daily average circulation of a newspaper that the shrewd advertiser investigates—"High Water" days don't count. The Sun's daily average last month was 3940.

FIGHT RESULTS IN RACE WARS

One Murder Caused in Chicago by Goldfield's Fight.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—Violence, and in one instance murder, was the result of the race excitement that developed while the returns from the Gans-Nelson fight were being received in Chicago last night. The levee district was aflame with the spirit of lawlessness that broke out at frequent intervals as the partisans of one or the other of the fighters ventured an opinion.

NO WARRANTS

ISSUED FOR BOYS WHO BROKE WINDOWS OF SCHOOLS.

Judge Lightfoot said the Board is trying to collect a Civil Debt.

Both County Judge Lightfoot and City Judge Puryear refused to issue warrants for the boys who broke out windows and otherwise destroyed property in the Franklin building.

Judge Lightfoot said that the school board was trying to collect a civil debt by criminal prosecution and therefore he would not issue the warrants. Mr. Hoyer had been instructed to see if the parents of the boys would pay the damage, if not, to get out warrants. The school board will now swallow the loss of the damaged property as the parents will not pay for the damage done, and the courts will take no action.

PROCTOR IS ELECTED.

Mt. Peller, Vt., Sept. 5.—Fletcher D. Proctor, son of United States Senator Proctor, was elected governor of Vermont today by about 15,000 plurality over Percival W. Clement, independent and Democratic candidate.

STRANGE STORY

BOUND, GAGGED, ROBBED AND HOUSE AND STORE BURNED.

Woman Tells Covington Police About Three Burglars, One of Whom Was a Female.

Covington, Ky., Sept. 5.—According to a story told the police by Mrs. Pearl Grant, she was bound, gagged and robbed of money and jewelry and her store and home fired by three burglars, one of whom was a woman, early this morning. When the house was discovered on fire, Mrs. Grant was found in the back yard clad in her night clothing. She told a remarkable story of the crime. The house is badly damaged by fire. The police are investigating the story.

WILL USE MONUMENT.

Erasmus Lamden, Sport, Dies in Hotel at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Sept. 5.—Erasmus Lamden, 70 years old, of Maysville, Ky., was found dead in bed at the Emery hotel this morning. Lamden was one of the widest known sporting men in the country. He conducted the St. Charles at Maysville and was famous among sporting men. Sometime ago he erected and inscribed his monument.

DISGUISED.

With the Aid of Wigs, Alleged Woman Pickpocket Robbed Many.

Marion, Ind., Sept. 5.—Disguising herself with wigs, Florence Wooten, alias Laura Benton, is alleged by the police to have picked the pockets of many Marion men of late.

Kid Murphy Killed.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—Harry Jacobs, known in prize fighting circles as Kid Murphy, is dead as the result of being run down by an automobile yesterday afternoon.

RURAL CARRIERS IN ASSOCIATION

Meet at City Hall And Organize the State.

Elect Officers and Decide to Meet Again on Thanksgiving Day at Mayfield.

POSTMASTER WELCOMES THEM.

Rural letter carriers of Kentucky met in this city Labor Day and organized a state association, to be affiliated with the national association. They will meet again at Mayfield Thanksgiving Day to perfect the organization, as they can meet on national holidays only.

Officers of the newly formed association are President, J. F. Boyd, Boaz; vice president, Edmund L. Francis, Paducah; Secretary, J. W. Whittemore, Melber; treasurer, M. P. Rice, Paducah.

The object of the organization is to promote the amelioration of such conditions as affect all the rural carriers. Postal clerks and many government employes under the civil service have organized, not forming a lobby, but simply acting in concert to secure the betterment of the service and remove any unnecessary hardships from their duties.

H. M. Hepner, secretary of the executive committee of the National Rural Letter Carriers' association, was present and spoke to the carriers concerning the benefits of the organization, its plans and purposes.

The meeting was called to order by Postmaster F. M. Fisher, who delivered an address of welcome to the visitors and introduced Mr. Hepner.

QUITTED, KILLS GIRL AND SELF

Discarded Suitor at Argo, Iowa, Commits Murder and Suicide.

Davenport, Iowa, Sept. 5.—Henry Drester, living near Argo, shot and killed Grace Reed, last night, severely wounded Sam Moore, a successful rival, and then put the muzzle of a rifle in his mouth and blew off the top of his own head.

STENSLAND PRISONER.

Tangier, Sept. 5.—Paul Stensland, president of the wrecked Milwaukee avenue bank, Chicago, probably will be returned to the United States without opposition. Stensland in the meantime is a prisoner in the American legation.

SUING FOR PEACE

GENERAL MENOCAL WILL ACCEPT AT ANY PRICE.

Secretary of State Is Opposed to Treating With Rebels Under Any Conditions.

Havana, Sept. 5.—Gen. Marie Menocal, who it has been said, is the rebels' candidate for the presidency, and is now in Santiago, says that he is ready to come to Havana and mediate for peace, without any thought of personal ambition. The veterans of the late war are eagerly expecting him.

The plan now is that Menocal and other leading veterans go to Pinar del Rio, see Pino Guerra and induce him to surrender, accepting pardon as the only concession that President Palma will make. But it is not thought likely that Guerra will consent, as he is sending letters to his friends throughout the country saying that he would rather die than accept Palma's terms.

Gen. Rafael Montalvo, secretary of state, who is in charge of the war, says that if the government should compromise with the insurgents it would encourage endless revolutions.

The real situation, he says, as regards the revolution, is that there are 500 men under Guerra and 400 under other leaders in the province of Pinar del Rio, 800 in the province of Havana and 2,000 in Santa Clara.

Japan's famine is ended. A total of \$750,000 gold has been used, and more than half a million people were assisted. The United States contributed \$220,000.

FIVE REVOLUTION IN SOUTH AMERICA GOING ALL AT ONCE.

New Orleans, Sept. 5.—Dr. Angel Uguarte, financial agent of the Honduras revolutionists, who is publishing a revolutionary paper here, says five republics will combine in a revolution November 1. Delegates from the five republics are conferring here.

KING IS CAUGHT

NEAR BROOKPORT

Police Land Negro Desperado At Last.

Shot Another Man's Leg So That It Had to Be Amputated and Made His Escape.

GOOD WORK BY THE POLICE.

Joe King, a negro desperado wanted here for maliciously shooting George Richardson, another of his color several weeks ago, is under arrest. He was brought this morning from Brookport, Ill., through the efforts of Patrolman Aaron Hurley, assisted by Patrolman Albert Senser and Special Policeman F. M. Matlock.

Over a month ago, while drinking, King went to the wrong house in search of a friend. He entered Richardson's house on Eight street near Husband's street, and Richardson struck him in the head with a stick. King got mad, went home secured a shotgun and blazed away, hitting King on the left leg at the ankle.

Richardson was removed to Riverside hospital, where his foot was amputated. It was only yesterday that he was able to be taken home. King escaped.

Patrolman Hurley secured information that King was near Brookport working in a saw-mill. He had written his wife that if she did not come to him he would return to Paducah and kill her. She went, returning yesterday. This is how the policeman got his tip, and last night with his partner, Patrolman Senser, Hurley secured the rest of the information and cinched the chances of getting King.

This morning Patrolman Hurley and Officer Matlock were sent to Brookport after King. In company with Marshal J. G. Flick, Matlock went to the saw-mill and closed in on the desperado.

King agreed to return without a requisition and was brought back on the train at 11 o'clock. The policemen left at 8 o'clock on the Fowler, making a good trip. It is an excellent piece of work on the part of the police.

SCHOOL BOOKS

WILL ALL BE IN STORES BY NEXT SATURDAY.

Some of the Dealers Have Received Their Full Orders Ready for Opening.

Some of the book stores have received all the books to be used in the schools this year and by Saturday all the stores will be supplied fully. Owing to the slight changes in the course of study, the dealers duplicated their orders of last year.

The schools will open Monday, as far as the pupils are concerned, in their normal condition, every room will be in charge of a teacher, if there is material enough left in the city to fill the vacancies.

SLAIN FROM AMBUSH.

Family Feud Is Said to Have Caused the Killing of Collins.

Hazard, Ky., Sept. 5.—Jason Collins was shot from ambush near here. Collins was on route to his home when he was fired upon, three bullets entering his body. Hagine Miller, an alleged enemy of Collins, has been arrested, charged with the crime, while officers are searching the country for other supposed principals. The Collins and Miller families long have been at war as the result of an old grudge. Miller denies all knowledge of the shooting.

CHOOSE BETWEEN SULLIVAN AND HIM

Bryan Gives Illinois Democrats Alternative.

Repudiates Endorsement That Comes From Friends of the Committee.

SCORES HIS ENEMY HEAVILY

Chicago, Ill. Sept. 5.—William J. Bryan as the guest of the local Democracy, delivered within eight hours two addresses. The first speech which was made at a luncheon given in his honor by the Iroquois club, dealt entirely with political issues and economic questions of the day. The second speech was made at a banquet given in his honor by the Jefferson club and was devoted to National Committeeman Roger C. Sullivan, of Illinois, whose resignation Bryan had demanded but who was endorsed by the recent state convention which also declared itself in favor of Bryan as the next Democratic nominee for president.

Bryan not only scored Sullivan and his political methods unmercifully, but informed the Democrats present, many of whom were delegates to the recent state convention that if they accept Sullivan they couldn't endorse him in any way. He informed them emphatically that he would have none of the approval of the Democrats of Illinois and that he repudiated their recent endorsement of him.

SULLIVAN AFTER GANS.

Butte, Mont., Sept. 5.—Mike "Twin" Sullivan today posted \$1,000 for a fight with Joe Gans. The Butte Athletic club has wired Gans offering a purse of \$5,000 for the fight.

PRETENDER DEFEATED.

Two Principal Chiefs of Morocco Usurper Are Killed.

Tangier, Sept. 5.—The pretender to the throne is reported to have been defeated near Muluya. No details of the engagement have been obtained. The reported defeat of the pretender was confirmed later. His two principal chiefs were killed.

JETT CASE CALLED.

Cynthiana, Ky., Sept. 5.—The case of Curtis Jett, charged with killing Jim Cockrill, at Jackson, was called this morning. Jett asked for the appointment of counsel, which was granted. The case was continued to December.

ARREST OFFICERS

OF WRECKED REAL ESTATE TRUST COMPANY.

Charges of Conspiracy, Embezzlement and False Returns Made Against Them.

Philadelphia, Sept. 5.—On warrants charging conspiracy, embezzlement and making false returns, sworn out by a depositor of the wrecked Real Estate Trust company, Adolph Segal, promoter, William F. North, treasurer, and M. S. Collinwood, assistant treasurer of the institution, were arrested this morning and arraigned before Magistrate Kochersberger. Hundreds of people thronged the magistrate's office, anticipating hearing evidence in the failure of the bank. Other arrests are expected.

Segal was released on \$25,000 bail and North and Collinwood, \$10,000 each.

STOLYPIN UNDISMAYED.

Will Hold Weekly Receptions at Winter Palace.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 5.—Undismayed by the attempt made on his life two weeks ago, when a bomb exploded in his villa, during a reception, Premier Stolypin has decided to hold his regular weekly receptions at the winter palace, where he has taken quarters and where various political questions are to be discussed.

City Solicitor James Campbell, Jr., suffered a congestive chill this morning and is confined to his home.

Fair tonight and Thursday, except showers in west portion. The highest temperature reached today was 87 and the lowest was 73.

THEIR VOTES NOT WANTED.

Tom Johnson Says God Speed to Thousands of Democrats.

Cleveland, Sept. 4.—In the opinion of Mayor Tom L. Johnson, Bryan's stand on government ownership of railroads, makes certain that Roosevelt will be the next Republican nominee for president. "Bryan's declaration on government ownership of railroads may drive thousands of Democrats out of the party and to such Democrats, I say, God speed," said Johnson.

PUT HIM TO WORK

NEGRO TRAMP NOT PROSECUTED BY ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

Hurrying Job of Work and Laborers Are Scarce, So Officer Gave Him Chance.

Labor in Paducah is scarce and even the Illinois Central railroad can not secure enough men to complete the foundation of a big wheel pressing machine in the local cabshops. The Southern Bitulithic company and Thomas Bridges company Sons, doing street improvement work, and other concerns using a great deal of common labor, have employed about all the available men. The Illinois Central wants to rush the installation of this job and a special officer this morning took a negro out of a box car, where he had gone to sleep and put him to work in preference to prosecuting him for disorderly conduct.

Work Roads Labor Day.

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 5.—Labor Day was generally observed throughout Oklahoma. At Skiatook all the male inhabitants, together with the farmers of the surrounding county, assembled and worked the roads.

NO CANDIDATES

FOR SCHOOL BOARD AND SOME COUNCIL VACANCIES.

It is possible that the primary will be given up by the city Democrats, because of the failure of a sufficient number of candidates for the various offices to announce and at a meeting of the committee tomorrow night, it will be decided whether vacancies will be filled on the ticket, or whether a convention will be called for the purpose of making nominations.

DEMOCRATS MAY CALL OFF PRIMARY AND NOMINATE IN A MASS CONVENTION.

For the seven places in the lower board of the city council only in three wards have candidates appeared, while no one seems to care to tackle the school board proposition. Five candidates have appeared for the four aldermanic seats, and two candidates for judge of the police court.

THE CANDIDATES ARE:

For Police Judge—E. H. Pryear and D. A. Cross.

ALDERMEN.

Aldermen—E. W. Baker, J. W. Little, E. D. Hannan, George Willow, Ernest F. Niemann.

COUNCILMEN.

First ward—H. R. Lindsey. Second ward—No candidate. Third ward—Al Foreman, James Sengenfelder. Fourth ward—Alonso E. Crandell, Young Taylor. Fifth ward—No candidate. Sixth ward—No candidate.

BOTH BADLY BATTERED.

Goldfield, Nev., Sept. 5.—Neither Gans nor Nelson was stirring this morning, though Gans probably will come in from Columbia later in the day. Nelson is so badly battered that he will stay indoors until he can leave town. He will not linger longer than is necessary, as he probably is the most unpopular man who ever visited Goldfield.

HUSBAND STABS WIFE'S COMPANION

Albert Rogers is in a Serious Condition.

George Allman, Ship Carpenter, Suffers Pains in His Home and Begins Attack.

ARRESTED WITH HIS WIFE

Bleeding from several serious knife wounds Albert Rogers, formerly a cab driver, ran with his clothes under his arms to seek the protection of policemen to escape the vengeance of George Allman, a ship carpenter, who had but a few moments before caught Rogers in a compromising position with his wife. As a result of the fair Allman was arrested for molesting, cutting and his victim is lying seriously wounded while his wife is in the city hall with her young child toddling about her feet, pending prosecution for immorality.

Last night about 10:30 o'clock Allman returned home from a trip to Fulton, where he had gone to secure work on the Illinois Central railroad. He had been employed on the local marine ways, but had not been working of late. He resides at 906 North Eighth street. Mounting the steps he heard his wife's voice, warning a companion that some one was attempting to enter the house.

Allman realized something was wrong, and taking out his knife ripped the screen open and entered the door. He found Rogers lying in bed, rushing onto the startled young man he began to slash. Grabbing what few clothes he could, Rogers made for the door but not until several ugly gashes had been inflicted in his side on his arm and his head.

Policeman Courtney Long was sent to the scene and arrested the woman, but Rogers was too seriously wounded to go to the hall. He was attended by City Physician Bass at his home.

This morning a warrant for malicious cutting was sworn out against Allman. On account of Rogers' condition it is impossible to tell what the case will be tried.

On advice of City Physician Bass it was decided that Rogers should be taken to the city jail this afternoon. His wounds are not so dangerous that moving will endanger the patient. The authorities believe he may try to escape.

Mrs. Allman is still at the city hall unable to give bond. She is not in jail, but spent the morning and afternoon in the city court room. She ate dinner in the court room.

LILY PAD PRISONERS.

Family Marooned and Found by Hunters.

Vacherie, La., Sept. 5.—Hunters last night found a man with his wife and infant son practically marooned on the shore of Lake Alleninda, the pads having made it impossible for them to row their boat away from the place. The man refused to give his name, but said he was from Mississippi and bound for Morgan City. He said he had been caught in the pads for eighteen days, having made almost no progress at all during that time. The family was living on crab and wild beans. The hunters supplied them with provisions, but an offer to take them overland to Morgan City was refused.

DYNAMITE WRECKS TRAIN.

Believed to Have Been Intended for Mail.

Ironwood, Mich., Sept. 5.—A Wisconsin Central ore train was wrecked by dynamite. It is believed to have been intended for a passenger train carrying valuable mail and express.

Engineer Wilson and Fireman Wash were badly injured. The dynamite was placed in a switch box. The tracks were torn up.

HARGIS FEARED DEATH.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 5.—According to statement made here today Judge James Hargis, of Jackson, was also marked for destruction.

Curtis Jett the same morning latter killed James B. Marcum. Hargis said he had been told by several of the best men in Breathitt county to whom Jett had discussed the plan to kill Jett that Jett had stated them that it was his purpose to kill Hargis had he attempted to investigate the killing of Jett.