

ACCEPTED BRIBE TO PROVE CRIME

"CONFESSOR" WHITE TELLS HOW HE SPENT MONEY

LIVED HIGH WHILE SPENDING HIS GRAFT GLEANINGS

Story of How He Received Money to Ferret Out Grafting, and How He and O'Neil Browne Spent Appropriations to Elect Lorimer Senator, Are Told to Investigation Committee.

Washington, August 2.—Testifying before the Lorimer investigating committee State Representative White, confessed boodler, said today he got \$1,900 from the St. Louis "jackpot" and spent the money while preparing to "show up" the corruption prevalent in the Illinois legislature, to secure such information, he said, as he felt he was justified in accepting the coin. He said Brown, the democratic leader, and himself spent \$100 daily while they were in Chicago, which was paid out of the jack pot.

Spent Bribe Money Freely.
How Lee O'Neil Browne, leader of the Illinois assembly, the democrats and himself "blew" in their share of the St. Louis jackpot, dispensed for their aid in electing Lorimer, was told today to the senate investigating committee by state representative White who confessed that he had been bribed. He said they took several journeys and lived high.

Scrubwoman Is Wealthy.

Spokane, Wash., August 2.—Mrs. Ida Duncan, a young widow who supported herself and three small children by scrubbing floors in office buildings and washing since her husband died about four months ago, has gone to Tampa, Fla., to claim an inheritance of \$17,000, left by her uncle, Mrs. Duncan, who is a native of the southland, said at her home, 1124 Third avenue, before starting on the long journey, that the good news came in a letter from a solicitor in Florida. Four thousand dollars of the estate is in cash, the rest being invested in fruit lands, which Mrs. Duncan is to manage during her lifetime, after which it will become the property of her children.

"I was unable to take of the little ones while working out," Mrs. Duncan said, "so I placed them in the day nursery, calling for them in the evening. I was not at home when the letter came, but as soon as I heard of my good fortune I almost ran to the nursery and brought the children home. I was not prepared to go anywhere, but good friends have assisted me to go to Florida."

Seamen's Strike Renewed.

London, August 2.—More than 100 men are out today in a general renewal of the deckmen's strike. Twenty steamers are tied up and there is a prospect that the trouble will spread.

VARDAMAN IS NEXT SENATOR

FORMER GOVERNOR AND ANTI-NEGRO AGITATOR WINS.

Percy Is His Nearest Competitor at Mississippi Primary.

Jackson, Miss., August 2.—Former Governor Vardaman's anti negro utterances which stirred the south in the past will probably be heard in the United States senate in the future. Returns from the primaries today show he has beaten Percy, his nearest competitor, by nearly 12,000 votes.

New Express Rates.
Washington, August 2.—The interstate commerce commission today ordered all express companies to so amend their tariffs that their rates to intermediate stations between producing and consuming points shall be proportionate to the full rates between those points.

New York Has Five Millions.
New York, August 2.—Estimates of the board of health published today give New York City a population of 5,000,400, which is 230,000 over last year.

Chautauqua Meeting Tonight.
There will be an important meeting of the Chautauqua directors tonight, at the Commercial club. The hour is 7 o'clock.

PEACE MEETING GETS JOLTED

FRANCE REFUSES, SO FAE, TO COMPENSATE

European Markets Feel Dread of Renewed Critical Stage.

London, August 2.—The fear that a renewal of the Franco-German-English-Moroccan crisis is impending was manifested today in all European markets. General dread was felt in business circles that the negotiations between France and Germany might be broken owing to the demands made for compensation by the Kaiser from France, which have so far been refused.

Reporters Are Deported.

London, August 2.—Correspondents for two London newspapers were today expelled from Agadir by Germans because they wrote anti-German articles on the Moroccan affair. This certain expulsion will cause further irritation of the vexed question, assuming as it does that German officials have territorial rights in region, something England does not recognize. Government representations at Berlin on the matter are reported to have been made.

Austria Fans Fire.

Vienna, August 2.—Proposing that Austria, France and Italy unite to break Great Britain's power.
Sylvester of the lower house of the Austrian parliament caused a great sensation today and greatly intensified the critical situation between Germany and England.

It is expected Great Britain will immediately demand Sylvester's dismissal from office.

Flashery Heads K. of C.'s

Detroit, August 2.—Flashery was elected president of the Knights of Columbus this afternoon.

Agriculture for New York.

New York, August 2.—A municipal need, the existence of which had not been suspected by most of the citizens of Greater New York, has just been discovered by a member of the state legislature representing the Borough of Queens. This statesman believes that New York City requires a department of agriculture and has written to the mayor urging the inclusion in the new city charter of some provision to "stimulate and direct intensive gardening, fruit and berry raising." It is explained in support of this surprising demand that there is something like 40,000 acres of vacant land within the limits of the greater city. Most of this is in small scattered lots but it is held by the originator of the plan that if it can be brought under cultivation until it is needed for building purposes a considerable sum will be realized, and employment will be furnished to several thousands of people who are now infrequently employed. The plan is being seriously advocated by its projector and if it is adopted New York may become a competitor of the more thoroughly rural counties of the state as an exhibitor of prize pumpkins and big apples at the various agricultural exhibitions.

WILLIAM HOGG EX-CONVICT; DENIES ACCUSERS FROM STAND

DEFENDANT ADMITS FORMER SENTENCE — WAS PARDONED BY GOVERNOR — REBUTTAL EVIDENCE TAKEN THIS AFTERNOON — GO TO JURY TONIGHT, PROBABLY.

Denying the charge against him in toto, swearing he was not at the Moffat ranch on Sunday when he is accused of having criminally assaulted Edna Moffat, a cripple girl of about 18 years, and denying he ever had illicit relations with her, William Hogg, the defendant in the "racy" trial on in circuit court took the witness stand in his own behalf at 11 o'clock today and by 2 o'clock had completed his story. In conjunction with the finale of the trial which has lasted longer than anticipated, and will probably go to the jury tonight, District Attorney Ivanhoe branded Hogg as an ex-convict, who was sentenced to seven years for horse stealing in Crook county but was later pardoned.

Admits His Sentence.
The ex-convict news cropped out

during cross examination when District Attorney Ivanhoe sprang the question suddenly. Hogg admitted it from the witness stand, but on re-direct examination testified that the governor had pardoned him. His denials were not sufficient to meet the main points set up by the state, denying he had been at the Moffat home, of having hitched his horse there, or of having been at the hen house that day as the Moffat girl testified.

Some rebuttal testimony was taken this afternoon and it is now thought the jury will get the evidence late this evening. The denials of the defendant himself and the story of the girl and her sister will form probably the two issues from which the jurors will decide.

BRYAN FLAYED AND CALLED FALSIFIER BY UNDERWOOD

Washington, August 2.—Denouncing W. J. Bryan on the floor of the house today as a falsifier, Democratic Leader Underwood was cheered loudly, plainly showing that the power of the Commoner is not what it used to be.

Replying to Bryan's recent charge that he was a prevaricator Underwood declared the state was false and that

he did not attempt to prevent a consideration of the revision of the steel schedule.

Underwood then called on Congressman Kitchen to reply to Bryan's statement that Kitchen had denounced Underwood, before the democratic caucus. Kitchen said Bryan was badly informed as he never believed the democrats would slander Underwood.

PRISONER IN MINE RESCUED

HELD CAPTIVE FOR MANY DAYS IN MISSOURI MINE

Talks to Aged Mother While Being Rescued From Predicament.

Joplin, Mo., August 2.—Joseph Clary, who had been entombed in a mine 73 feet below the surface since early Sunday morning, was extricated today from his perilous position by his rescuers.

Yesterday he was fed through a drill pipe and while his rescuers dug he talked to his aged mother over a temporary telephone rigged up. When he was brought to the surface he almost collapsed from weakness and lack of sleep and cold caused by the mine waters.

Clary was rescued from the mine in good shape and this afternoon after a short sleep, said: "I was never badly scared."
Three thousand persons cheered as the rescuers who had worked since Sunday, pulled him out.

Reunion of Alden Descendants.

Duxbury, Mass., August 2.—Several hundred descendants of John Alden and Priscilla Mullins, of Pilgrim fame gathered here today for the 11th annual reunion of the Alden Kindred of America. The exercises were held on the old John Alden homestead property. The society has secured a title to the present John Alden house, built in 1658, where one of the ninth generation of Aldens still lives, and has an option on the land occupied by the original house where John Alden was born.

Toronto's Aviation Meet.

Toronto, Ont., August 2.—With an aeroplane race from Hamilton to Toronto as the introductory feature, to be followed by an entire week of prize contests for speed, duration, altitude, etc., the aviation meet which is to have its opening here tomorrow promises to be one of the most notable and successful affairs of its kind yet pulled off in America. The aviation field, located within easy access of the city, consists of a tract two miles in extent, without obstructions of any kind. Half a dozen University of international reputation are in the meet, among them being F. Willard, J. A. D. McCurdy, J. J. Ward and Ladis Lawkovic, the last named being a young Prussian aviator and the first one of his nationality to fly in America.

CHILD BORN TO LIFE PRISONER

ANGELINA NAPOLITANO MOTHER OF GIRL.

Child to Be Cared for by Children's Aid Society—Mother Life Term.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., August 2.—Mrs. Angelina Napolitano, who was recently relieved from death for murdering her husband on account of hundreds of petitions from the United States, today gave birth to a girl. The Children's Aid society will care for it.

If the mother is ever released from prison the child will be given back to her. Her term is for life.

Daisy to Have Potlatch.

Spokane, Wash., August 2.—Captain John McA. Webster, superintendent of the Colville Indian reservation, announced in Spokane today there will be a great potlatch at Daisy, Wash., the middle of August, when tribesmen will mourn the passing of Chief Barnaby, who was for years the representative of his people before the president of the United States at Washington, D. C. At the potlatch the crowning incidents of Chief Barnaby's life will be recited, after which his possessions will be distributed among his friends. Barnaby was 75 years of age at the time of his death and is survived by a son of 16 years. His most notable speech was before President Roosevelt and Indian officials five years ago, to intercede for the payment of \$1,500,000 due on land sales. He adopted the ways of the white man years ago, and the sermon at his bier was delivered by Father Caldwell, a traveling field missionary. The body rests in an elaborate casket in the Colville Indian burial ground.

Women Dodge Jury Duty.

Spokane, Wash., August 2.—Ten women drawn for jury duty at the coming term of the Spokane county superior court declare they will not serve unless compelled to do so by law. Mrs. Sarah Withersell, living at 1528 Ninth avenue, the first woman drawn for the venire, voiced the sentiments of her sisters in saying that while women should use their franchise in voting for good government she believes jury duty is a man's work. "I voted because I am a taxpayer," she added, "and because I had the right right to vote." Mrs. Flora P. Atchison, 808 Shannon avenue, said: "There are certain cases where it is all right for a woman to serve on a jury, but they are scattered, I will not serve if called. My home is the place for me. I am not an advocate of the equal suffrage cause, although I think that women will be able to accomplish much good with their votes." Mrs. E. G. Hubbard, 2116 North Madison street told her story in a few words. "I prefer to stay at home, for I think that is the woman's place. Women jurors on a divorce case? Oh! My! No!"

Pope Is Improved.

Rome, August 2.—Pope Pius shows improvement today.

EXPECT TAFT TO VETO FREE LIST

STANDPATTERS CONFIDENT OF HIS DISAPPROVAL

HISTORIC ROOM TO HAVE IMPORTANT SCENE TOMORROW

Believed That Present Session of Congress Will End Hurriedly if Taft Vetoes the Farmers' Free List and Wool Bills When Measures Come to Him—Bryce and Knox to Sign Pact.

Washington, August 2.—Republican standpatters today claim they have assurances that President Taft will veto the farmers' free list and wool bills passed yesterday, if they reach him this season. The white house will not talk. In case the president does, an abrupt ending of the congressional session is likely.

Treaty Signed Tomorrow.

The arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain will be signed in the historic East Room of the white house tomorrow afternoon. Secretary of State Knox signs for the United States, and Bryce for also be signed and will be sent by Great Britain. The French treaty will be sent by messenger to France for signature.

It became known today that President Taft expects to send the treaties to the senate for ratification before this session closes.

Wool Conference Wanted.

The house campaign publicity bill today was sent to a conference with the senate. Senators Gamble and Dillingham and Johnson will represent the upper chamber. The senate today also agreed to request the house for a conference on the wool bill. Senators La Follette, Bailey, Penhose, Cullom and Simmons were named as the conferees.

New Highway to Cross Missouri.

Jefferson City, Mo., August 2.—Governor Hadley and the state board of agriculture gave a public hearing today on the matter of the proposed state road to connect St. Louis and Kansas City. Three routes are under consideration and nearly 1,000 delegates representing numerous cities and towns were on hand to urge the claims of one or other of the proposed routes.

Meets at Lake Geneva.

Lake Geneva, Wis., August 2.—Rev. J. Campbell White, Col. Elijah W. Halford and other religious workers of note are scheduled to address the summer training conference of the opened here today. The conference Laymen's Missionary Movement which will continue its sessions until Sunday evening.

WILDE OUT ON \$20,000 BONDS

REACHES PORTLAND IN CARE OF OFFICER.

Will Fight the Issue Through to the End, Says Accused Banker.

Portland, August 2.—Angry and asserting that he would see matters through to a finish, Louis Wilde, the San Diego banker, arrived here today accompanied by officers and one of his lawyers to face a charge of embezzlement in connection with the sale of bonds to the defunct Oregon Trust & Savings company.

He was allowed his liberty on \$20,000 bonds, by Judge McGinn.