TRIES TO STEAL POPULIST VOTES

Rosewater Accuses Bryan of Plot for Fusion in Nebraska.

FILES PROTEST AT LINCOLN

Attempt to Secure Populist Vote Under False Pretenses Arouses Republican Committeeman to Action — Bryan Is Silent.

OMAHA, Neb., July 30.—Victor Rosewater, Republican National Committeeman from Nebraska, yesterday published an open letter to William J. Bryan, asking him to disapprove of the attempt that was recently made to file the names of the Democratic Presidential electors from his state under the head of "People's Independents." Mr. Rosewater recently filed a protest in the case with the Secretary of State.

This matter is an outcome of the bolt of the Nebraska delegation, headed by Thomas H. Tibbles, from the St. Louis convention of the Peoples' party, which nominated Thomas E. Watson for President.

VIOLATION OF PRIMARY LAW

Rosewater Protests Against Same Candidates for Two Parties.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 30.—Charging that the provisions of the state primary law will be violated by permitting fusion between Democrats and Populists in the Presidential election, National Committeeman Victor Rosewater, together with F. W. Hollingsworth and Victor Seymour, today filed with Secretary of State Junkin a formal protest against the names of Henry Gehring and Frank Swanson going on the state-wide primary ballot as candidates for electors-at-large.

Mr. Rosewater maintains that candidates cannot appear as representing both the Democratic and Populist parties, as both these parties have regular nominees in the field.

This is the second protest filed and they will be taken up Saturday.

HAS NO TIME FOR ANSWER

Bryan Refuses to Discuss Charges, but Will Investigate.

FAIRVIEW, Lincoln, Neb., July 30.—When informed of the open letter of Victor Rosewater, proprietor of the Omaha Bee and Republican National committeeman from Nebraska, in which the allegation is made that a conspiracy entered into by Mr. Bryan's brother-in-law is on foot "for the purpose of purloining votes not intended to be cast for you," Mr. Bryan said:

"I have not the time to make answer."

He was not certain that he would reply at all, but said the subject would be investigated.

SAFETY PIN IN ARTERY

Prisoner Tries to Commit Suicide in Novel Way.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 30.—(Special.) — O. S. Haines, who is serving a six-months sentence in the county jail, yesterday attempted to take his own life by sticking a safety pin through an artery in his wrist, and would have been successful, had it not been for Sam Bray, another prisoner, who seized Haines and held him until surgical aid came. Haines pleaded guilty to a statutory charge last April. He has a wife and several children residing at Parkplace, though he is only 23 years of age.

Quietly sticking the pin in an artery Haines lost fully a quart of blood before his act was discovered by Bray. Haines imagines that some one is trying to poison him and he will probably be examined for his sanity tomorrow.

SUFFRAGISTS GO TOURING

Four Women Make Campaign in Automobile and Launch.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 30.—(Special.)—Four Seattle girls, Louise, Lucy, Helen and Gertrude Kangley, have commenced a tour of this state in an automobile to preach female suffrage. The quartet has completed a trip through Skagit County, alternately using an automobile and a small launch to reach towns in the Skagit River Valley.

The four sisters are pleading for the submission of the constitutional amendment by the next legislature providing for equal suffrage. At the time they are waging a speaking campaign the quartet is endeavoring to take a census of the localities visited to show state sentiment.

STEAMER IS BOYCOTTED

Dutch Colony Takes Revenge on Venezuela for Her Wrongs.

WILLEMSTAD, July 30.—The Venezuelan schooner Maria Abigail, from Maricaibo loaded with Venezuelan products and dispatched to this port by a Venezuelan firm, has been boycotted. On her arrival here a guard of police and troops was stationed at the wharf to protect the vessel. Later the schooner sailed, and on leaving the harbor dipped the Venezuelan flag, the salute being answered.

OLD LEADER NEARLY BLIND

Joseph Chamberlain Returns to England With Impaired Sight.

LONDON, July 30.—Joseph Chamberlain, who returned from the Continent Tuesday and is remaining in London for a few days on his way to Birmingham, is reported to be in a very grave condition. His eyesight has become seriously affected. Even if Mr. Chamberlain has sufficient strength to travel to Birmingham, it is very doubtful if he will ever leave England again.

GIRL TAKEN IN CHARGE

Denies She Had Evil Intent in Leaving for Seattle.

Elizabeth Olsen, a 16-year-old girl, whose parents live near Oregon City, was arrested late Wednesday night by Detectives Price and Coleman, while she was waiting outside the O. W. P. & Railway waiting-room at First and Alder streets, and was held in the custody of Miss Baldwin, of the women's department of the police, on the charge of being a runaway.

The girl was arrested at the request of a relative, who claimed to have information that she was being taken to Seattle for the white slave trade. The girl apparently was greatly shocked at the nature of the charges against her and absolutely denied them. She maintained that she had been in Portland for the last three years with the knowledge and consent of her parents and that during that time she had been self-supporting.

She asserted that during the latter part of this time she had been residing with a Mrs. Lena Caldwell, somewhere on the East Side, and that as Mrs. Caldwell had planned a trip to Seattle and had agreed to take her along, she had gone to the waiting-room to meet Mrs. Caldwell when she was taken into custody.

JAPANESE HAVE ARSENALS

EVERY CAMP IN CALIFORNIA IS SUPPLIED WITH ARMS.

Orientals Keep Rifles and Revolvers in Bosses' Rooms, but Deny Facts to Whites.

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 30.—(Special.)—It is known in and about San Jose that firearms are being collected and stored in many large Japanese camps in this part of the state. In one camp near Agnews a large number of rifles, shotguns and pistols are kept, and weapons of all descriptions are occasionally seen in all the Japanese communities to the north of San Jose.

The Japanese themselves deny that they have any weapons whatever. It is almost impossible for any American to enter their camps to make an investigation.

One citizen of San Jose who gained the confidence of the Japanese through long business relations has been permitted to see the rooms occupied by the boss of a camp. Among other purposes it serves as the camp arsenal. There is not one camp without a small collection of arms, and in the large camps the supply is said to be alarming.

BURNS VICTIM'S CORPSE

BROOKLYN MURDERER'S CRIME IS CUNNINGLY CONCEALED.

Body of Unknown Young Woman Found Badly Charred by Fire and Powerful Acid.

NEW YORK, July 30.—In the finding of the half-charred body of a young woman early this morning in an isolated section of Williamsburg, Brooklyn, one of the most atrocious and cunningly planned murders that has been given to the police to solve in many years was revealed. Death was caused by a cut across the throat, and then, in an endeavor to utterly destroy all evidence of the crime, the murder, or murderers, wrapped the body in an oil-soaked mattress, poured oil over it and set fire to the bundle. A powerful acid had been poured over the face to obliterate the woman's features and make identification impossible.

Although two arrests have been made, the police do not believe they have in custody anyone who can shed light on the mystery. The prisoners are James Ruddick, an old man who lived in a stable not far away from where the body was found, and his son Joseph, a peddler, who discovered the body.

TAKES OVER YUKON LINE

Great Northern Acquires Road in British Columbia.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 30.—All the railway land and foreshore holdings of the Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon Railway in Vancouver and New Westminster and the railway line connecting the two cities have been formally conveyed by the Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon Railway Company to the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway, according to a conveyance filed in the Vancouver Registry Office.

The Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway Company is a corporation subsidiary to the Great Northern Railway. Roughly speaking, the value of the property involved in the transfer is about $2,500,000, but that was not the consideration on which the conveyance was made, as the principal amount of money which went into the construction of the Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon and the purchase of its land holdings came from the Great Northern interests.

FIONA IS STILL MISSING

Anxiety Felt for Cruiser Bearing Governor to Newfoundland.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., July 30.—No tidings were received yesterday of the whereabouts of the cruiser Fiona, with Sir William MacGregor, Governor of Newfoundland, on board, and the anxiety felt for the safety of the vessel on account of the report of a severe northwest hurricane off the Labrador coast is unabated. The Fiona has not been heard from for four days. When last reported she was off the southern Labrador coast and was proceeding north on an official tour of inspection.

In the storm which swept the inner harbor here, wrecking 17 vessels, three men and eight vessels are also said to have been lost at Byron Bay.

LARGE TIMBER DEAL MADE

Eastern Men Secure 30,000 Acres on Drury Inlet.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 30.—One of the largest deals in coast timber limits of recent months is reported today to have just been completed with the transfer of 30,000 acres of well forested land on Drury Inlet to American capitalists by John Murray, C. P. Olts and H. Thompson.

The purchase price was $175,000, a large portion of which has been paid over. The buyers are New Jersey men who are now incorporating a company in the state to control the property.

SULTAN DRIVEN BY TERROR

Granted Constitution When Discovered Plot to Murder.

VIENNA, July 30.—A special dispatch from Constantinople to Die Zeit gives details of an alleged plot against the Sultan's life, which it says finally determined the Sultan to grant a constitution.

Special sale fine shoes at Rosenthal's.

THREE DEATHS IN FLORIDA LYNCHING

Sheriff and Deputies Defend Jail Against Charge of Angry Mob.

PRISONER FINALLY TAKEN

On Second Attempt Crowd Captures and Hangs Negro, but Only After Many Have Been Wounded.

PENSACOLA, Fla., July 30.—Three men dead and a score wounded is the record of an attempt last night of a mob to storm the county jail and to take out a negro named Leander Shaw, who yesterday assaulted Mrs. Lillian Davis near here.

Besides the negro, Shaw, who was hung, the dead are H. C. Kellman, a streetcar conductor, and Bird Nichols. The fatally wounded are A. N. Knowles and Charles Turner, members of the mob, and Jailer Eaton.

The mob numbered probably a thousand persons and gathered early, but there was no apparent indication until two hours later that the crowd, which completely surrounded the jail, contemplated making a rush. The first indication was when a railroad iron was brought into play by about a dozen men on the iron gate of the jail yard.

Charge Jail With Curses.

At the same moment the entire mob seemed to catch the spirit and with yells and curses dashed for the jail entrance. Some climbed over the tall iron fence, while others hammered upon the gate. The Sheriff with a half dozen deputies stood in the windows upstairs with drawn revolvers and rifles.

The Sheriff pleaded with the mob, at the same time telling them he would defend the prisoner at the cost of every life present. His words had no effect and the moment the first blow was struck on the gate a volley of shots flashed from the upper windows of the jail. This was answered by the crowd which poured volley after volley into the jail, wounding two deputies. The mob was momentarily driven back with many wounded and one dead as a result of the deadly aim of the Sheriff and deputies.

Second Attack Is Successful.

At midnight the mob, which in the meantime had been reinforced by many residents of the surrounding country, made another attack on the jail. The Sheriff and officers were overpowered by men who had crept over the rear wall and covered them with rifles and revolvers. Others broke down the cell doors and took Shaw out.

The negro was carried to the center of the plaza and hanged to an electric light pole, after which fully 500 shots were fired into his dangling body. In the last attack on the jail Kellum was killed, while two deputies and four or five of the mob were wounded.

At 1 o'clock this (Thursday) morning everything is quiet and the mob has dispersed.

NEGRO LYNCHED IN GEORGIA

Taken From Jail, Hanged and Riddled With Bullets.

LYONS, Ga., July 30.—Alfredo Williams, a negro who is alleged to have assaulted Miss Clare B. Owen, last Friday near Ohoopee, was Tuesday taken from the Toms County jail by a mob, carried to the woods nearby, hanged to a tree and his body riddled with bullets. The rope around his neck was cut by the fusilade of shot and the body dropped to the ground.

TURKISH MINISTERS FLEE

PEOPLE DEMAND REMOVAL OF OBNOXIOUS ONES.

Sultan Dismisses Two and Others Fly — Officers of Mutinous Troops Called to Capital.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 30. — Street demonstrations here have now practically ceased, but public indignation is growing at the delay in removing the obnoxious officials and other government officers. Many reports are current of the dismissal and the flight of various officials, but it is impossible to ascertain the details. It is confirmed, however, that the Minister of Marine, Rami Pasha, has been forced out of office and replaced by Halil Pasha.

An irade issued today appoints Izzel Pasha president of the commission for the inauguration of the Heja railway. He will leave Constantinople at once. It is said that Zeicci Pasha, inspector of military schools, has been dismissed, while Zelim Pasha, Minister of Mines and Forests, has fled with his family to Brindisto.

Three hundred officers of the third army corps in Macedonia have been ordered to replace an equal number of the imperial guard.

Oramnian, the Armenian patriarch of Constantinople, has resigned.

The report originating in Vienna that the Young Turks have called upon the foreign agents to quiet Macedonia is unfounded. Dispatches from Monastir state that all the mutinous troops have returned to duty.

WILL NOT PRESS FOR REFORMS

Russia Awaits Outcome of New Turkish Revolution.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30.—The foreign office is without information concerning the report received here from Vienna that the Young Turks have demanded the withdrawal of the Austro-Hungarian and Russian agents in Macedonia and the cessation of foreign supervision of the local administration. The officials atttach little importance to the matter.

Pending further developments in the Turkish situation, Russia has decided not to press any of the questions connected with the new programme of reform. The cessation of hostilities on the part of the warring bands is regarded as a most optimistic sign.

POLITICAL PRISONERS FREED

Revolutionists and Former Opponents Fraternize at Salonika.

BERLIN, July 30.—A dispatch received from Salonika, European Turkey, says all the political prisoners there were liberated yesterday. The leaders of the revolutionary bands and their followers are entering the city and fraternizing with their former opponents. The manifestations of joy over the granting of a constitution continue.

We're grinding down the prices.

We make a clean cut on 100 suits in blue serge, gray cashmere, and fancy worsteds in browns, olives and tans. Suits that were $25 and $20 reduced to $10.

See the windows.

THE LION CLOTHIERS

166-170 Third Street.

ODELL AGAIN IN FRONT

WOODRUFF MAKES DEAL FOR EX-BOSS' SUPPORT.

Peace Restored Between New York Factions by Agreement for Mutual Assistance.

NEW YORK, July 30.—A definite agreement between ex-Governor Odell, of this state, and Chairman Timothy L. Woodruff, of the Republican state committee, was made Tuesday at Republican state headquarters, according to the Brooklyn Eagle, whereby Mr. Odell is to give active and energetic support to Mr. Woodruff as state chairman and in return Mr. Odell is to receive such recognition as a man who has held the highest office in the state and in the party should receive.

"It means," says the Eagle, "the reestablishment of an executive committee, of which Odell will probably be made chairman. The agreement is said to include recognition of Louis F. Payne."

HARBOR PUT IN COMMAND

Succeeds Hemphill With Asiatic Squadron of Pacific Fleet.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—Orders have been issued by the Navy Department, making a change in the command of the Asiatic squadron of the Pacific fleet. Rear-Admiral Hemphill is relieved of the command and is succeeded by Captain Giles E. Harbor, commander of the battleship Maine, of the special service squadron. In turn, Captain Harbor will be succeeded as commander of the Maine by Captain W. B. Caperton, now in command of the cruiser Denver. Changes in the personnel of some of the junior officers on the special service squadron already have been made.

It is expected that the special service squadron, which constitutes the vanguard of the Atlantic fleet on its trip around the world, will leave Manila next Saturday, August 1. Admiral Hemphill will return immediately to the United States. He will not retire from active service, however, until next June.

IS LEFT WITHOUT FUNDS

Discouraged Man Shoots Himself at Graham Island.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 30.—"I am discouraged. You get another man, you can fool with me not later than 60 days after you get this letter." Having written this in a letter to the head office of the Anchor Investment Company, of Winnipeg, Allen Reid shot himself with a revolver. Reid was manager for the company at its new townsite at Massett, Graham Island, one of the Queen Charlotte group. The Coroner's jury added the following order to their verdict.

"We the undersigned jurymen, after reading the letters produced, are unanimously of the opinion that the Anchor Investment Company, Reid's employers, are to be severely censured for sending an employe to such a remote part of the province and then neglecting to provide him with funds."

HELD FOR BIG SWINDLE

Prisoner May Also Have Aided Embezzler Walker.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Frederick Gonderoff, who is charged with having defrauded Fritz Helsenaget, a Scranton hotelkeeper, out of $25,000 by inducing him to bet on a pretended prize-fight in Boston was arraigned in the Police Court today and was held in bail to await the action of the authorities of Bridgeport, Conn., where it was said that Gonderoff is charged with obtaining $5000 on false pretenses.

Detectives are trying to find out whether any of the funds of the New Britain Savings Bank, alleged to have been embezzled by William F. Walker, reached Gonderoff or his associates.

DEATH PREVENTS TRIAL

McIntyre Expires While Under Indictment for Fraud.

BALTIMORE, July 30. — Thomas A. McIntyre, who was head of the failed firm of T. A. McIntyre & Co., died here yesterday.

Thomas A. McIntyre, Jr., arrived in this city today for the purpose of looking after his father. He said his father had been in bad health for a year and that his financial troubles had weighed heavily upon him.

Last Days of Half Prices

TODAY and SATURDAY

At One Half Off

MEN'S SPRING SUITS

Men's $30 Suits now $15.00
Men's $25 Suits now $12.50
Men's $20 Suits now $10.00

YOUTHS' OUTING SUITS

Youths' $15 Suits now $7.50
Youths' $10 Suits now $5.00
Youths' $8.50 Suits...$4.25

BOYS' KNICKERBOCKER SUITS

All This Season's Patterns.
Boys' $ 5.00 Suits now $2.50
Boys' $ 8.00 Suits now $4.00
Boys' $10.00 Suits now $5.00
Boys' $15.00 Suits now $7.50

WASHABLE SUITS

All This Season's Patterns.
$5.00 Wash Suits now $2.50
$3.00 Wash Suits now $1.50
$1.50 Wash Suits now 75c

At One Half Off

BOYS' STRAIGHT KNEE PANTS

Boys' $2.00 Knee Pants—now $1.00
Boys' $1.50 Knee Pants now 75c
Boys' $1.00 Knee Pants now 50c
Boys' 50c Knee Pants now 25c

MEN'S STRAW HATS

Men's $5 Straw Hats now $2.50
Men's $4 Straw Hats now $2.00
Men's $3 Straw Hats now $1.50

REDUCED PRICES FOR OUTING PANTS

Men's $6.50 Outing Pants—Now $4.85
Men's $5.00 Outing Pants—Now $3.65
Men's $4.00 Outing Pants—Now $2.95
Men's $3.00 Outing Pants—Now $2.15

MEN'S FANCY VESTS

Men's $6 Fancy Vests Now $3.00
Men's $5 Fancy Vests Now $2.50
Men's $4 Fancy Vests Now $2.00
Men's $3 Fancy Vests Now $1.50

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DECISION TO ATTELL

Seattle Boy Stands Punishment, but Loses.

FANS SEE GOOD FIGHT

Champion Lands at Will and Plays for Back and Kidneys, Finally Wearing Out Opponent in Ten-Round Go.

SPOKANE, Wash., July 30.—(Special.)—Before a crowd of over 2000 fight fans, Abe Attell was given the decision over Eddie Marino, of Seattle, in the tenth round of his fight at Sand Point, Idaho, last night, after a one-sided contest. Attell landed at will on the back and kidneys of the lad. Fans from Spokane, Wallace, Idaho, and Coeur d'Alene were present. Attell will meet Kid Scaler at Salt Lake, July 31.

Round one—Marino forces Attell; spars; clinches champion; lands on jaw. Honors even; Attell sleepy.

Round two—Marino forces fighting; cornered by Attell and hammered about head; kidney blows tell on Marino.

Round three—Marino lands on Attell's jaw; champion forces lad to corner and shoots jabs to stomach in clinch; Marino hit on jaw; swings wild; then lands on ear.

Round four—Marino forces; lands on jaw; clinches; swings wide and Attell forces hard one to jaw; jaw blow sends Marino to knees.

Round five—Marino groggy; Attell clinches; Marino covers and champion lands at will on kidneys; Seattle lad returns volleys to jaw and neck. Attell's round.

Round six—Marino rushes fighting; lands on stomach; Attell returns hard right to jaw; lad pokes hard left and right to face and neck. Even round.

Round seven—Attell lands hard punches jaw and body; Marino weakens under shower of blows to back; clever footwork wrings cheers from crowd.

Round eight—Vicious fighting on both sides; Marino is beaten around ring but fights gamely; Marino forced through ropes; returns with right to jaw; Attell again forces him through ropes.

Round nine—Attell forces Marino around ring and through ropes; lands everywhere; blow to kidneys sends Marino down for nine counts, then jab to jaw sends him down again; Marino gets up and shows more class than ever before; crowd is beyond control yelling, "Marino, Marino;" Attell again forces him to corner; Marino again goes down; gets up and Attell has him in a corner.

Round ten—Blows to kidneys weakens Marino; down for count of nine twice. Decision to Attell.

STRIKEBREAKER IS KILLED

Fatal Clash Between Union and Non-union Coal Miners.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 30.—A clash occurred near Pratt City tonight between union and non-union miners, in which Lige Nelm, a non-union negro miner, was killed, and E. Mills, a union man, was shot through the jaw. Six arrests were made. Disorders have been reported in several parts of the district today, but nothing else of a serious nature.

NEW SKIN REMEDY

Creates Big Stir; Drug Stores Crowded With Sufferers.

For several weeks past the Skidmore Drug Co. and other leading drug stores in this city have been crowded with persons desiring a supply of poslam, the new cure for eczema. This is the drug which has created such a stir throughout the country since its discovery one year ago.

For the convenience of those who use poslam for pimples, blackheads, blotches, red nose, acne, herpes and other minor skin troubles, a special 50-cent package has been adopted, in addition to the regular two-dollar jar, which is now on sale at all leading drug stores.

In eczema cases, poslam stops the itching with first application and proceeds to heal, curing chronic cases in two weeks. In minor skin troubles, results show after an overnight application. For a free experimental sample, write direct to the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth Street, New York City.

DREAD MALADY IN RUSSIA

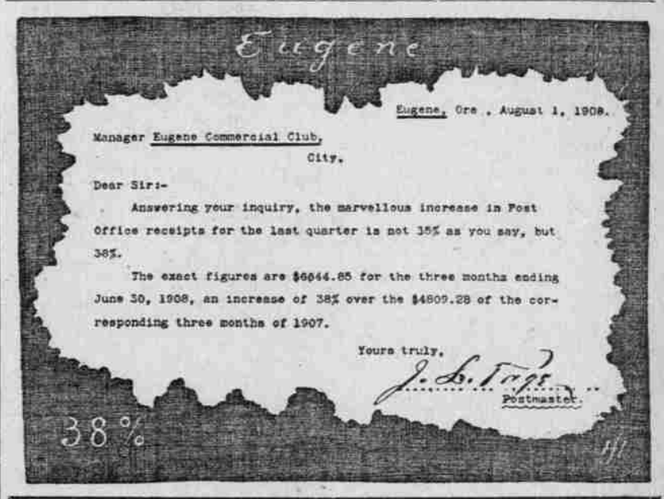
NATION STARTLED BY OUTBREAK OF CHOLERA.

Steps Are Taken to Confine Disease to Vicinity of Volga, Protecting Large Cities.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30.—The government is preparing for an outbreak of Asiatic cholera all along the River Volga, from Nizhni Novgorod to its mouth, and at the Caspian ports. The entire Volga region and both coasts of the Caspian, together with the territory of the Don Cossacks, already has been officially declared in the cholera zone, but the sanitary authorities hope to confine the disease within the limits and prevent it from reaching Moscow and St. Petersburg.

This year the government has placed ample funds at the disposal of the Sanitary Commission, but there will be great difficulty in securing capable physicians. Nizhni Novgorod is considered the danger point of the epidemic, as the annual fair, which is the rendezvous of the merchants of all Russia and Siberia, has just been opened.

Special sale fine shoes at Rosenthal's.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Eugene, Ore., August 1, 1908.

Manager Eugene Commercial Club,
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Dear Sir:-

Answering your inquiry, the marvellous increase in Post Office receipts for the last quarter is not 35% as you say, but 38%.

The exact figures are $6644.85 for the three months ending June 30, 1908, an increase of 38% over the $4809.28 of the corresponding three months of 1907.

Yours truly,
J. L. Tapp
Postmaster.

38%

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