

GOVERNOR SUIZER PARDONS BRANDT

Mortimer Schiff's Valet Freed on Condition That He Does Not Capitalize Notoriety.

ACT NOT ONE OF MERCY

Executive Says Clemency Is Shown to Meet Requirements of Justice and to Wipe Blot From State's Judicial History.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 17.—(Special)—Folk E. Brandt was pardoned today by Governor Sulzer...

Disparaging Remarks Retracted. In his application for pardon, which was dated January 16, and was evidently made after he arrived at the executive chamber last night...

A long letter written by Mortimer L. Schiff and dated January 13 was read by the Governor...

Pardon Justice, Not Mercy. Attorney-General Carmody, requested by Governor Sulzer to speak upon the case, declared in a most emphatic way that the grant of the pardon was not an act of mercy...

Then the sturdy old Minnesota Senator, a countryman of Brandt, thanked the Governor for the pardon...

The pardon was conditional, that Brandt should not appear on the stage, write the history of the case, discuss it in a public place or in any way try to profit by his notoriety...

Brandt Refuses to Talk. Shielding himself behind these conditions, Brandt refused to discuss his freedom in any way...

A large delegation from the Swedish societies had arrived on the morning train. There was a sprinkling of women, but the audience was made up of men for the most part...

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VALET PARDONED BY NEW YORK GOVERNOR, HIS FORMER EMPLOYER, AND WOMAN HE IS ACCUSED OF HAVING MALIGNED.



FOLKE E. BRANDT (DRAWN FROM LIFE BY CESAIRE IN COURT)



TOP, FOLKE E. BRANDT—BOTTOM, LEFT, MORTIMER L. SCHIFF; RIGHT, MRS. MORTIMER L. SCHIFF.

NO PROGRESS MADE

Senate in Deadlock Concerning Taft's Appointments.

DEMOCRATS REMAIN FIRM

Effort to Bring Vote Results in Call of "No Quorum"—Republicans Reject Proposal for Committee of Conference.

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LOWER TARIFF ON PAPER PROBABLE

Democrats Inclined to Make Reduction as Requested by Publishers.

BIBLES PUT ON FREE LIST

New York Witness Before House Committee Calls Foreign Wall Paper Luxury Indulged In by People of Means.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Substantial reduction of the tariff all along the line in the wood pulp and print paper schedule and retention of approximately the existing duties on tobacco, cigars and similar articles constitute part of the Democratic tariff revision program to be presented to the coming extra session of Congress.

This was the situation as viewed tonight by Democratic leaders following two sessions today and another tonight in the marshaling of testimony on schedules "M," pulps, papers and books, and "F," tobacco and its manufactures.

Most of the Democratic members of the committee, if not all of them, regarded the items in the tobacco schedule as luxuries, and one of the most easily adapted to revenue-raising purposes among the 14 schedules of the tariff law.

Chief interest of the day centered in the presentation of the arguments of the spokesmen of the newspaper publishers and of the diametrically opposed paper manufacturers.

Publishers Would Let Down Bars. Jenn Norris, of New York, chairman of the committee on paper of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, representing consumers who pay \$55,000,000 a year for news print paper...

The American Paper and Pulp Association, through Arthur C. Hastings, of New York City, representing the paper industry with an investment of \$400,000,000 and an annual business of \$300,000,000, voiced opposition to a change in the present tariff.

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LOUNSBERRY IS GUILTY

TRAIN ROBBER TO SERVE SEVEN AND ONE-HALF YEARS.

Insanity Plea Fails to Impress Jury in Trial of Medford Man Who Held Up Union Pacific.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 17.—Wells Lounsberry, of Medford, Or., who last August robbed a mail car on a Union Pacific Overland train between Kansas City and Lawrence, Kan., was found guilty today in the Federal Court in Kansas City, Kan., and was sentenced to seven and one-half years in the Federal prison at Fort Leavenworth.

The verdict was returned on one count. According to the instruction of the court, each count called for a sentence of 10 years in the penitentiary.

The plea was insanity. The Government introduced expert alienists, as well as citizens of Medford, Lounsberry's home, to refute that plea.

Lounsberry held up six mail clerks, forcing one to bind the others and blindfold them. After rifling the registered mail sacks and placing his loot in a bag he stepped off the train at Medford.

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CHICAGO'S FUNDS ARE LOW

City Faces Crisis Because Revenues Have Been Cut Down.

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WALLA WALLA GETS MEET. Washington Horticultural Association Elects Officers. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Jan. 17.—(Special)—Walla Walla today was selected for the 1913 convention of the Washington Horticultural Association and E. C. Burlingame, of that city, was elected president.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RY. TO TACOMA AND SEATTLE. And to intermediate stations. First-class coaches, smoking cars, parlor cars and dining cars on all day trains. Coaches, standard and tourist sleeping cars on night train.

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OPORTO, Portugal, Jan. 17.—Con- tary to previous reports, only a few of the 125 passengers on the British steamer Veronesi, which was wrecked near here yesterday, have been saved. The ship still is in a perilous position and the only lifeline to the shore broke after only 23 women and children had been rescued.

ROBBER SHIELDS 'PALS' CONFESSED LEADER OF "AUTO BANDITS" TAKES BLAME. Shooting of Policeman Re-enacted. With Pen for Weapon—Prisoner Has Sound Sleep.

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