

HELP OF TAMMANY SOUGHT BY SULZER

Witness Says He Acted as Emissary.

ALL TESTIMONY IS TO GO IN

Decision Opens Way to Proof Brewing Interests Aided.

DEPOSITS IN EVIDENCE

Defense Wins Point in Admission of Fact That Campaign Gifts Were Not Restricted as to Use Made of Them.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 25.—The following developments today marked the impeachment trial of Governor Sulzer: Jacob H. Schiff, a New York banker, testified that he was asked recently by Samuel I. Frankenstein, a former law partner of Governor Sulzer, if he would accept the return of the alleged \$2,500 campaign contribution which the banker yesterday said he gave to the Governor without restriction as to its use. Mr. Schiff said he had replied negatively.

The High Court, by an unanimous vote, decided to admit all testimony pertaining to campaign contributions made to the Governor, even though they were not specified in the articles of impeachment. This ruling paved the way for the introduction of evidence intended to show the Governor had solicited and received large contributions from brewing interests.

Cash Preferred to Checks.

The Governor asked, according to the testimony that these contributions be given in cash instead of checks.

Counsel for the impeachment managers said they were prepared to prove the Governor received campaign contributions "vastly in excess" of the total mentioned in the articles of impeachment. There were more than 100 not accounted for, counsel asserted. The name of a large number of these contributors other than those of the brewing interests were brought into the evidence. These included 52 persons mentioned as drawers of Sulzer checks in the account of Louis A. Sarecky, the Governor's campaign secretary, in the Mutual Alliance Trust Company. This account showed, with checks and cash, that deposits of \$14,400 had been made between September 10, 1912, and the date of the Governor's inauguration.

Larceny Decision Reversed.

Decision on the question as to whether Sulzer's alleged misuse of checks given the Governor without restriction as to their use constituted larceny was reversed to give the court an opportunity to investigate the authorities.

Sarecky, regarded by the prosecution as one of the most important witnesses and whom they said they had been unable to find, was discovered by process servers in Albany, and served with a subpoena.

Judge Lewis J. Conlan, of New York, a life-long friend of the Governor, testified that he had raised money for the Governor's campaign, but had given it to him without restriction as to its use.

Sulzer called personally on Charles A. Stadler, president of the American Malting Company, Stadler testified, and requested his aid in obtaining the support of Tammany Hall. He said he obtained the support and later solicited campaign funds for Sulzer.

The assembly managers decided tonight to bring no more impeachment charges against the Governor.

Tammany Support Sought.

Stadler, who is an ex-State Senator, declared that after several invitations from Sulzer he had visited the candidate to talk things over.

"The conversation was on the general topic of the political situation pending," said Mr. Stadler, "and Mr. Sulzer asked me to intercede wherever I could among my friends and to help him all I could."

"He said, 'You can help me in more than one way and you know what you can do.' I told him I understood the situation and would do what I could."

"Subsequent to the nomination, did you see friends of yours?" he was asked by Attorney Kresel, of the prosecution.

"I did," was the reply.

"Whom did you approach?"

"Mr. Sulzer requested me to go to Fourteenth street (Tammany Hall) and intercede for him there," responded the witness. "I told him I would, and I did."

Parties in Power "Visited."

"I went to Fourteenth street and saw the parties in power, talked the matter over there and recommended Mr. Sulzer's nomination. I promised that if they gave him their support I would do all I could for him and that my friends would do all they could. Subsequently I reported back to Mr. Sulzer what I had done, and he thanked me."

Mr. Stadler subsequently told of having collected \$250 from Peter Doelger, \$100 from William J. Elias, \$250 from George C. Hawley, \$250 from August Luchow, \$250 from William and Peter Hoffman, all representing liquor interests. His personal contribution of \$100

LANE'S BUILDING BILL INTRODUCED

SENATOR INSISTS ON CHANGE TO ROOMIER STRUCTURE.

Committee Chairman Promises Early Hearing but Suggests Indorsements Be Procured.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Sept. 25.—Senator Lane today introduced a bill amending the act appropriating \$1,000,000 for a new post-office at Portland by requiring that the available appropriation shall be utilized in erecting an office building not less than six nor more than eight stories high to accommodate the postoffice and all the other Federal offices in Portland now occupying rented quarters.

Senator Lane explained its object to the Senate, had it referred at once to the public buildings committee, and urged that committee to give the bill immediate consideration. Senator Swanson, chairman of the committee, assured Senator Lane he would have the bill taken up within a few days and indicated a belief it would be favorably reported, but to aid the bill he advised Senator Lane to get letters of indorsement from Secretary McAdoo and Postmaster-General Burleson.

Senator Lane will call on these Government officers and urge them to recommend the passage of his bill. He also will suggest to Secretary McAdoo that nothing be done by the architects invited to participate in the Portland competition until he has had time to press his bill before both branches of Congress.

RAILWAY TOLD TO HURRY

City Orders Southern Pacific to Rush Fourth-Street Work.

Improvements on Fourth street must be rushed to completion as quickly as possible so that the street can be placed in proper shape for traffic. This order has been given by City Commissioner Dieck to the Southern Pacific Company, and other concerns which are working in the street.

Mr. Dieck went over the workings following an examination by engineers in his department, and later issued his order. Work has been delayed by a fire at the burning recently of a crew of men working on the street, where the wood blocks for the paving of the street were being prepared. Mr. Dieck ordered the railroad company to demand immediate delivery of the wood blocks from the Portland company or to place a rush order with some other concern.

SULLIVAN LOSES CONTEST

Ex-Sailor Boarding-House Keeper of Portland Not to Get Grandchild.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 25.—(Special.)—L. M. Sullivan, for many years a sailor boarding-house keeper and politician of Portland, today lost his fight for the custody of his 3-year-old grandchild, Mabel Goodwin, who, when she was 3 months old, was abandoned in Topeka by her parents. The little girl was given into the custody of Mrs. Margaret Preciado, who took care of her when she was first abandoned and who will adopt her. Touching on his qualifications as a foster-parent, Sullivan told the court today he was in the mining business and had means to care for the child.

"Have you any other business?" asked Judge Taft.

"Politics," replied Sullivan. "I'm the man who elevates common citizens to the United States Senate."

JOY FATAL TO AGED NEGRO

Death Follows Recovery of Farm Lost Through Fraud.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—A. A. Hawkins, an aged negro to whom Judge Grady, of the Superior Court, Tuesday restored 40 acres of land which had been secured by fraud, it is charged, by C. M. Scott, formerly cashier of the First National Bank of Sunnyside and now a fugitive from justice, died this morning. His physician declares that joy over recovering his property caused his death.

Hawkins once was wealthy and one of the largest hoggrowers in the Yakima Valley. Several years of bad prices on hogs took away his possessions and the 40 acres of land was lost when he was advised by Scott to deed it to his son to save it from the wreck.

15 ENTERED AT TALENT

Robbie Rose Winner With Score of 95 Per Cent.

ASHLAND, Or., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—Over 15 entries were made at the baby show held in connection with the industrial exhibit at Talent recently.

First to score was Robbie Rose, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rose, with a standing of 95 per cent; Katie Estes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Estes, was second, scoring 92.5 per cent.

Among others winning creditable mention were Ida Tryer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Tryer; Jamie Denham, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Denham; and Anna Morse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Morse.

BANK ROOF CUPID'S ALTAR

Freewater Pair Wed Choose Odd Stage at Walla Walla.

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—Standing on top of the seven-story Baker-Boyer Bank building, Delmer S. Pigner and Gertrude A. Rooke, of Freewater, were married today.

Rev. J. E. Ireland officiated at the oddly staged ceremony.

WILSON BELIEVES SUASION HAS WON

Situation in Mexico Is Viewed Cheerfully.

NEXT STEP IS CONSIDERED

Pressure May Be Brought to Bear on Constitutionalists.

GAMBOA LIKELY TO LOSE

Officials Interested in Selection of Liberal Candidate, Who, It Is Thought, Will Be Ex-Ambassador Calero.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—President Wilson took the position today that the policy of moral suasion adopted by the United States toward Mexico had accomplished its two cardinal purposes—to obtain assurances that there would be a constitutional election and that Provisional President Huerta would not be a candidate to succeed himself.

Advices received here describing in detail the preparations being made for the election of October 26 and saying also that General Huerta would not be a candidate, but would support Federico Gamboa, Mexican Minister of Foreign Affairs, the nominee of the Catholic party, encouraged President Wilson and Secretary Bryan to believe that the Huerta government was carrying out what the United States had emphasized in the Lind negotiations as the essential features of a satisfactory settlement of the revolutionary troubles.

Decision to Be Withheld.

The President realizes that it will not be impossible to judge whether the processes of the election are actually constitutional and will withhold decision for some time as to whether the choice of that election will be recognized by the United States.

Many persons familiar with the purposes of the Administration here predicted that the next step in the policy of the United States would be an effort to show indirectly to the Constitutionalists the necessity of participating in the election. In this connection, it was pointed out by officials today that Mexican law would hold the approaching election valid and final if a majority of the polling precincts of the republic were shown to have been in legal operation.

Practical Difficulties Realized.

President Wilson in discussing the situation with callers spoke of the practical difficulties of a constitutional

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FALSE ENTRIES CONDONED

Wilson Pardons Cashier Who Concocted Entries to State Bank.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—President Wilson today pardoned Charles Isaac, sentenced at Fort Dodge, Ia., June 20 last to five years in the penitentiary for making false entries in the books of the Forest City (Iowa) National Bank, of which he was cashier.

Strict compliance with the law by Isaac, it is declared, would have wrecked the bank by divulging its condition to the public, whereas the false entries, covering up excessive loans to a stockholder of the institution until he could realize on farm land transactions, resulted in no loss. Sentence had been suspended pending the investigation.

Grape Carnival Commended.

After the meeting this afternoon the directors and other delegates to the convention visited the Grape Carnival, which opened today.

Colonel Parker, of Seattle, a newspaper man and former resident of Walla Walla, promised to work for the opening of the Columbia River. He expressed the belief that boats soon would be running from the inland Empire to the mouth of the Columbia

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OPEN COLUMBIA IS CONVENTION THEME

Kennewick Entertains River Enthusiasts.

GRAPE CARNIVAL IS FEATURE

Speakers at Waterways Meeting Urge Deeper Channel.

PORTLAND MEN TO TALK

Representative Bryan Promises to Work for Government Aid to Make Navigable Water to Canadian Boundary.

PASCO, Wash., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—The waterways convention was called to order at 3 P. M. in the Commercial Club rooms at Kennewick. An enthusiastic group of open-river advocates was present. Today's meeting was an executive session of the directors. There are 15 directors in all, but some of them were absent.

Enough were present for a quorum and considerable routine business was taken up and disposed of.

The chief speaker of the afternoon was Representative Bryan, one of the Congressmen-at-large for the state of Washington. Mr. Bryan made an energetic speech in favor of the open river, saying that he considered it one of the biggest problems of the entire Northwest.

Whole Northwest Concerned.

It is a problem that belongs to no political party, he said, to no faction, to no particular locality, but concerns the welfare of the entire northwestern part of the United States and the eastern part of British Columbia.

Mr. Bryan said he was not seeking political prestige, but promised to pledge his utmost support during his stay in Congress to secure the opening of the Columbia River at the earliest possible date.

Mr. Bryan reviewed the work done in Congress during the past session in regard to the Columbia River and in regard to the opening of the river. He believed it possible to obtain more Government aid for the river. The speech was well received.

Aviator Plunges in River

Steele Emerges Unhurt After Fall at Toledo, Or.

TOLEDO, Or., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—After making one successful flight, shortly this morning Aviator Steele plunged from a height of 50 feet into the Taquima River. The fall was due to treacherous air currents. Hundreds of persons witnessed the accident and were greatly excited. Motor boats went to his assistance immediately. Steele was uninjured, except for a cold bath. The right wing of the machine was damaged.

The machine was disassembled and returned to Coos Bay, after a record flight. Steele was much depressed after the accident.

CITY SEGREGATES RACES

Baltimore to Require Residence on Separate Blocks.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 25.—A race-segregation ordinance was passed by the City Council today and was signed by Mayor Preston. The measure has the following title:

"An ordinance to prevent conflict and ill-feeling between the white and colored races in Baltimore City and to preserve the public peace and promote the general welfare by making reasonable provisions requiring the use of separate blocks for residence by white and colored people, respectively."

CHECKER TITLE DECIDED

New Champion Student of Game in Backwoods Grocery Store.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 25.—M. E. Pomeroy, of this city, today won the world's championship at checkers from Alfred E. Jordan, of England, who has held undisputed possession of the title. The competitors were tied up to the 50th game at one victory each, 48 games being finished in draws.

Pomeroy learned to play the game in a backwoods grocery store at Sidney Center, N. Y., his home, many years ago.

SNOW FALLING IN TEXAS

Cold Norther With Fine Drizzle Sweeps Over Panhandle.

PLAINVIEW, Tex., Sept. 25.—Snow fell here today, accompanying a cold norther which is sweeping over the Panhandle section of Texas.

The snow accompanied a fine, cold drizzle. The temperature has dropped to 45.

SCHOONER WRECKED IN ICE

Transit Driven Ashore in Alaskan Waters, but Crew Is Safe.

NOME, Alaska, Sept. 25.—The schooner Transit is a total wreck at Point Barrow, where she was driven ashore by the ice.

Captain John Backland and his crew are safe and are coming to Nome on the gasoline schooner Hettie B.

EDISON'S VACATION CAUSE OF ILLNESS

INVENTOR SAYS ENTIRE LACK OF WORK IS NOT GOOD.

Instead of Meat Famine, He Says There Will Be Intensive Farming and Less Meat Eaten.

WEST ORANGE, N. J., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—Eale, smiling and vigorous, Thomas A. Edison was at work at an early hour today in his laboratory, where, he declared, that so long as he lives, he will never take another vacation which didn't include some work. If he had not stopped work entirely, he declared, he would not have been ill.

Grand opera at 5 and 10 cents is what Edison is working on just now. He will give the people this by the development of his "talking pictures."

"What do you think of predictions at Chicago that the meat supply of the country is going to fall in the future?" he was asked.

"I don't believe that will happen. Americans may have to eat less meat—that's all. Intensive farming will give us all the food we need.

"Man is a meat eater, but in this country too much is eaten. Experts say that this over-indulgence is an enormous economic waste. If the whole country cuts down its meat diet the death rate would be lower within a year. There would be 50 per cent more work done and with much less fatigue. It would bring down the cost of living with a big drop. With extra energy everybody would have more stuff would be raised. We stuff ourselves now too much by 100 per cent.

JUDGES FOR BABIES BALK

"Professional Jealousy" Talked as Cause of Kink in Fair Plans.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Sept. 25.—(Special.)—Refusal at a late date by several physicians expected to serve on the examining board of the Washington State Fair better babies contest threatens to mar the feature.

Mr. H. E. Averill, vice-chairman of the better babies committee, received two resignations this morning from doctors, who declined to give their reasons. Professional jealousy of a young physician placed in charge, with the title of medical director, is said to be the cause of the dissension.

Effort is being made to get doctors from Pasco, Kennewick, Sunnyside, Tappahewa, and other cities.

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Poster Parents Helped, Too.

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"I told the girl she ought to be with her folks. She told me her mother lived in Grand Rapids, Mich., and that she wanted to see her. I gave her \$20 the next day. Mrs. Rosenberg told me when I took the money to the Jonquill that the Barker girl wanted to marry a young man who was working in a shooting gallery. I took \$200 more to the girl the same day. Two weeks later I saw the girl again. She said there had been some trouble with the young man she had planned to marry and that now she wanted to go East. She had foster parents living at Clermont, Cal., she told me, and she would like to give them something before she left them. I gave her \$200 more. That made a total of \$650 I gave the Barker girl.

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BIXBY TELLS TALE OF PHILANTHROPY

Millionaire Says He Was Reformer.

GIRLS HELPED TO NEW LIFE

Wedding Gifts Declared to Be Among Benefactions.

MONEY FREELY BESTOWED

One Young Woman Declared to Have Received \$4300 to Aid Her in Traveling Path That Is Straight and Narrow.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 25.—Making a general denial of all accusations against him and asserting that his knowledge of certain inmates of the Jonquill "hotel" had been gained entirely through philanthropy, George H. Bixby, the Long Beach millionaire, on trial for alleged offenses against girls, took the witness stand in his own defense today.

The defendant's story, in which he told of efforts to aid some of the girls who had accused him and in which he asserted his absolute ignorance of the existence of others who testified against him, was heard by a crowded courtroom.

He began his recital by telling of his first acquaintance with Emma J. Goodman, the proprietress of the Jonquill, who now is serving a year in the County Jail. He said he had known her as Mrs. Josiah Rosenberg.

Witness Tells of "Benefactions."

"I first met Mrs. Rosenberg in the Fall of 1907," he said. "I went to her place because of a letter I received from a C. H. Emerson, who wrote from Ranberg, Cal., asking me to aid an inmate of Mrs. Rosenberg's establishment. It was a girl named Marion, who was ill. I became interested in her and gave her \$100, so that she might go home to her mother." Later I gave Mrs. Rosenberg \$500 more to give to the girl. Marion is now married and living a respectable life.

"Mrs. Rosenberg suggested that I might be talked about if I was known at her place by my true name, so I used the first one which came into my mind—King. I never was known as Jackson.

"Mrs. Rosenberg sold her place and I did not learn of her again for four years. Then one day, while reading a newspaper, I saw an advertisement of the Badger Toilet Parlors, naming Mrs. Rosenberg as the president of the company.

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