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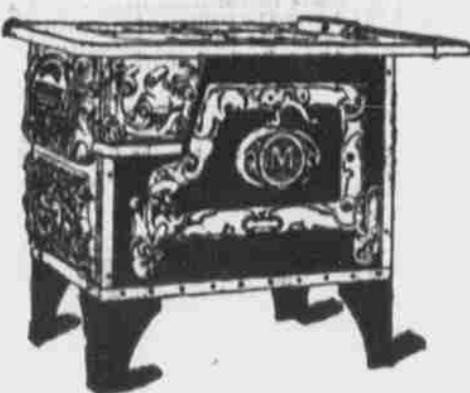
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UNDER ARREST FOR ROBBERY

Nephew of Ex-Senator McBride in Trouble.

ARRESTED IN BAKER CITY

Charged With Complicity in Postoffice Robbery in Salt Lake City Last June—Previously Embezzled Postoffice Funds.

BAKER CITY, Ore., Aug. 20.—Frank McBride, who is said to be a son of ex-Judge McBride of the supreme court of Utah and a nephew of ex-United States Senator McBride, of Oregon, was arrested here today, charged with complicity in the postoffice robbery at Salt Lake City in July last. He denied all allegations.

EMBEZZLED POSTOFFICE FUNDS.

McBride Was Sentenced to Four Years While Assistant Postmaster. SALT LAKE, Aug. 20.—A description of Frank McBride, who is under surveillance at Baker City, tallies well with that of the man seen in the rear of the postoffice in this city on the night of the robbery last month.

McBride, while assistant postmaster of Salt Lake postoffice, was arrested in 1897, charged with the embezzlement of postoffice funds. He was sentenced to four years in the state penitentiary. He was released on bond pending action on a motion for a new trial, and was pardoned by the president in December last. At the time of his pardon, McBride was timekeeper at the Bunker Hill and Sullivan mine in Idaho.

THE GOLCONDA DISASTER.

Death List Numbers Seventeen and May Reach Twenty-Two.

PADUCAH, Ky., Aug. 20.—The horror of the City of Golconda disaster at Cottonwood bar, four miles above Paducah, last night, is just beginning to be fully comprehended as body after body is brought into the city. The boat's register has not been recovered but it is certain that the death list will number seventeen and perhaps twenty-two.

A revised list of the dead is as follows: MISS FLEMING, Birdsville. MISS GRAHAM, Grahamsville. MISS BARNETT, Smithland. MISS GRIMES, Grahamsville. MRS. HOGAN and three children, Paducah. MRS. ADAMS, Smithland. WATTS DAVIS, Livingston county. CLARENCE SLAYDEN, Lola, Ky. WALLACE BENNETT, Tolu, Ky., and five colored men.

SIR THOMAS COMING.

Expected to Arrive in New York Today—Spars for Shamrock.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Sir Thomas Lipton is expected to arrive here on Wednesday. In the meantime Shamrock II. will be got into trim for trial. The Lipton fleet, five vessels strong, attracts a great deal of attention from all passing craft, and from those on shore. The steam yacht, Erin is the flagship, and she is anchored furthest to the south. Next to her comes the tender Puerto Rico, then the tug James A. Lawrence, and then the racing yacht. The latest addition is a forty-foot launch named the Dufferin, with which errands to the shore are to be made. The moorings for the yachts inside the Horse Shoe have been laid, and the fleet will probably go down there tomorrow. The Spalding-St. Lawrence Company, of Ogdenburg, has shipped to the Shamrock several hollow spruce spars. There are four club topsail spars, ranging in length from 45 to 66 feet, and a spinnaker pole 79 feet long. This is the largest hollow spruce spar ever made.

THOUGHT ISLANDER WOULD FLOAT SEVERAL HOURS

Reasons Why Captain Foote Did Not Beach the Vessel—No Additional Names.

STATTLE, Aug. 20.—J. T. Snyder, a resident of Juneau, arrived on the steamer Farallon today. At an inquest held at Juneau, which Snyder attended, evidence developed which may tend to excuse the captain of the Islander for not beaching her at once. Snyder said:

"At the inquest the testimony showed that there was a stowaway in the forward water-light compartment, and when the vessel struck the water rushed in on him and he set up a big howl. The sailors thoughtlessly rushed down and opened the compartment, which allowed the sea to come rolling into the

hold. This was done without the captain's knowledge, and I think excused him for thinking the vessel would float several hours."

ADDITIONAL NAMES LACKING.

Survivors Unable to Throw Further Light on Disaster.

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 20.—Interviews with the survivors of the steamer Islander who have reached here failed to throw any further light on the disaster and none were able to give any additional names. The quartermasters, who were at the wheel at the time, corroborate the statement of Pilot LeBlanc as to ice having been seen, and they reiterate the statements so often made of the coyness of the officers and crew and of the efforts to save the passengers at the risk of their own lives.

KRUGER WAS RECOGNIZED.

Czar Declined to Take Notice of Great Britain's Protest.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—It is asserted in Boer circles in Brussels that Emperor Nicholas specially invited Mr. Kruger to send a representative to attend the recent wedding of his youngest sister, Grand Duchess Olga, to Duke Peter of Oldenburg.

According to the Lokal Anzeiger, of Berlin, it was the presence of this representative, M. Van der Hoeven, that prevented any member of the British embassy in St. Petersburg attending the czar having ignored the British ambassador's protest against the presence of Mr. Van der Hoeven.

COMPELLED TO MARRY.

Whites Made to Wed Squaws in Alaska.

SEATTLE, Aug. 20.—According to advices from Sitka, the United States cutter Rush arrived in that port August 18. A general round-up was made of all white men who were living with squaws and they were taken before the court and compelled to marry.

SCHLEY'S FAMOUS LOOP.

Man Who Was at Brooklyn's Wheel Says It Was a Mistake.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Walter B. Adams, of Gloucester, Mass., a seaman who claims to have been stationed at the wheel of the Brooklyn in the battle of Santiago, is quoted as giving a new explanation of the loop made by Admiral Schley's flagship, according to a special from Bellows Falls, Vt. Adams says that when the Viceysa was pointing her course with the evident intention of ramming the Brooklyn, Commander Hodgkins, the navigating officer, issued the order to put the wheel hard down. This would have thrown the Brooklyn directly toward the Viceysa. Adams says he understood the order, but involuntarily threw the helm hard up, causing the Brooklyn to swing away from the Spanish ship. Noticing his mistake, instantly he eased the wheel down, and in getting the ship back to her course, the loop was formed which, Mr. Adams says, was not over half a mile in length.

STONED TO DEATH.

Four Boys Heartlessly Kill a Companion.

KOKOMO, Ind., Aug. 20.—Four boys, Roy and Lester McVea and Ray and Fred Marvin, all in knickerbockers, ranging in age from 6 to 10 years, have been arrested for stoning another boy, Eddie McKee, to death. Only one of the children was old enough to write his name to the bond. The children were playing on the railroad, when the McKee boy, who was older, came along, and a fight followed, which resulted in his death.

MILL TO SHUT DOWN.

Rumored That Purpose Is to Trace Alleged Shortage in Ore Accounts.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 20.—The Argentine smelter of the American Smelting and Refining Company, which employs 800 men, will be closed down September 15th. Assistant Superintendent McDonald says the shut down is to give the plant a thorough cleaning and deny the rumor that the purpose is to trace an alleged shortage of \$100,000 in ore accounts.

GERMANS ARE STAYERS.

They Refuse to Vacate Tien Tsin University.

TIENTSIN, Aug. 20.—The American minister, Mr. Conger, is urging Washington's attention to the persistent occupation of Tien Tsin University by the Germans, who refuse to vacate the building or pay rent, thereby preventing Dr. Tenney from continuing his educational work, which the Chinese desire him to resume.

QUIET DAY IN BIG STEEL STRIKE

Contending Forces Settling Into Determined Struggle.

ARBITRATORS TURNED DOWN

Ohio Man's Suggestions Repudiated by Both Sides—Idle Mill at Clark Plant Started—Chicago Workers Are Expected to Walk Out.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 20.—Following the rapid moves of yesterday on either side of the great steel strike, there was a lull today, and neither side took decisive action. The contest appears to be settling down into a determined struggle in which neither side will acknowledge defeat while there is hope left.

Joseph Bishop, the Ohio arbitrator, appeared here today but both sides promptly repudiated the suggestion that another move for peace was being considered.

The steel managers succeeded in starting the last Idle mill at the Clark plant and are evidently planning a series of extensions at every point where there is a chance of success. The strikers claim that Chicago will, in the end, come out, and that there is no danger of the Jolie man going back to work.

THE CHICAGO MILLS.

No Conference Held Between the Men and Vice-President Davis.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—There was no conference tonight between the steel workers employed in the Illinois steel works at South Chicago, and Vice-President Davis, of the Amalgamated Association. There is little hope of the situation, although an unusual number of men have asked to be released from work, alleging sickness.

VENGEANCE WREAKED ON THREE NEGROES

Supposed Murderers of Miss Wild Lynched at the Hands of Missouri Mob.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 20.—After all the conflicting stories from Pierce City have been sifted, it develops that three negroes lost their lives there as the result of an outrage upon Cassella Wild. The dead are: WILLIAM GODLEY, hanged from the porch of the Lawrence Hotel, and the body riddled with bullets. FRENCH GODLEY, grandfather of William Godley, shot in his house. PETE HAMPTON, buried in his house, but probably shot before the fire. Eugene Barrett, in a confession while a rope was around his neck, accused Joe Lark, a Pullman porter, of being implicated in the crime, and Lark was arrested in this city. The mob was composed of a thousand or more and no masks were used. Thirty negro families were driven from their houses. It is now believed that Will Godley, who was lynched, was not the real culprit. The cause of all the bloodshed was the killing of Miss Cassella Wild Sunday afternoon, as she was returning home, after attending church. About a mile from the town her brother found her with her throat cut, lying lifeless near a culvert; under which her assailant had attempted to drag her. Monday bloodhounds were taken to the scene and the girl's bloody handkerchief was laid before them. They immediately caught the trail and ran with full speed to the home of Joe Lark.

CHARGED WITH BRIBERY.

Information to Be Filed Against Producers of Evening Post.

DENVER, Aug. 20.—Judge Mullins this evening instructed the district attorney to file information against H. M. Tammen and F. G. Ronfils, proprietors of the Evening Post; W. J. Thomas, police magistrate, and Daniel Sadler, fire warden, on charges of attempting to bribe jurors in the case of W. W. Anderson, recently tried on a charge of shooting Tammen and Ronfils.

MYSTERY SOLVED UP.

Two Men Arrested for Wrecking Chicago Stone Yards.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—Details of an alleged plot by which two Chicago stone yards were wrecked by dynamite on August 12, in order to deprive 200 members of an independent stonecutters' union of employment, are believed by the police to be cleared up in the arrest and confession of Frank Hardy, formerly an employee of the Chicago Athletic Association. Involved with Hardy in the

confession and alleged plot and also under arrest are Michael Fitzgerald, a steamer, and Joe Hayes.

The two stone yards which were wrecked employed stonecutters who broke away from the old Building Trades Council during the strike of last year. These stonecutters belong to an independent union, and are pitted in trade rivalry against seventy-five other stonecutters who still belong to the old union. This rivalry has led to frequent assaults upon members of the independent union, according to the police.

MILLIONS IN BAD MONEY.

Large Amount of Notes of Defunct New Brunswick Bank.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—Secret service officers have arrested in this city three men accused of passing bank notes purporting to be issued by the State Bank of New Brunswick, N. J., an institution long defunct. The plates had never been destroyed and in the hands of some criminals have furnished over 1,000,000 notes in denominations from \$1 to \$20, which have been distributed all over the United States.

On information furnished by Frank J. Peery, who was captured a week ago, they have just taken into custody William Hogan and E. W. Smith. The latter who, according to Peery, is the leader of the gang, has been for eight years chief clerk of the federal life saving service in this city. He has been released on bail, but the other two men are in jail. Other arrests are expected to follow today.

NORDSTROM IS DOOMED.

Stay of Proceedings Denied His Counsel.

SEATTLE, Aug. 20.—Charles W. Nordstrom will, in all probability, be hanged Friday for the murder of Willie Mason, nearly ten years ago. The counsel for the prisoner failed to secure a stay of proceedings in the superior court today, and the question is not appealable.

WHALER KITE RESCUED.

Taken From an Ice Pack Off the Coast of Labrador.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—President C. A. Moore, of the Mottbank Club, of Brooklyn, has just received a letter from his son, Chas. A. Moore, Jr., who, with several friends, is on a scientific expedition in Arctic waters. They sailed some weeks ago on the steamship Algerine, commanded by Capt. William Bartlett. Mr. Moore says the Algerine rescued the whaler Kite and her crew from a perilous position in an ice pack off the coast of Labrador. The Kite was the vessel formerly used by Lieutenant Peary.

The Algerine towed the Kite to Turnavik. Moore says he was told there were 150 men on the Kite. They are believed to be sealers and fishermen who were on their way to northern stations.

TO TEACH CHINESE.

Hundred Thousand Dollars Given to Chair in Columbia College.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—That General Horace W. Carpenter, of this city, is the hitherto unknown donor of \$100,000 for the endowment of a chair of Chinese in Columbia University, is stated as a fact by the World. President Seth Low, in announcing the donation at the commencement exercises in June, did not reveal the name, and there has been much curiosity on that score. General Carpenter was at one time president of the Bank of California and mayor of Oakland. He is reputed to be a millionaire, and made much of his money in trading with China.

AMBUSHED AND MURDERED.

Body of Swan Knudson Found on Salmon River Trail.

LEWISTON, Ida., Aug. 20.—A special to the Tribune from Grangeville gives an account of the finding of the dead body of Swan Knudson on the Salmon river trail, near the state bridge, in Idaho county. The man had been ambushed and murdered. There is no clue to the perpetrators.

DAMAGED BY FIRE.

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 20.—The warehouse of the Kennedy Furniture Company caught fire tonight and was damaged to the extent of \$40,000.

TELEGRAPH LINE COMPLETED.

VALDES, Alaska, Aug. 18, via Seattle, Aug. 20.—The telegraph line from this place to Eagle City has been completed to Copper Center.

BASEBALL SCORES.

TACOMA, Aug. 20.—Tacoma, 13; Seattle, 6. PORTLAND, Aug. 20.—Portland, 4; Spokane, 3.

SAY REPORTS ARE EXAGGERATED

Trouble Between Columbia and Venezuela Is Magnified.

RAILROAD NOT MOLESTED

Passengers on Steamships From the South Ridicule Reports of Battles at the Isthmus—Marital Law in Three States.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Officers and passengers of the steamship Orizaba, which arrived from Colon today, said that reports of the trouble between Venezuela and Columbia are greatly exaggerated.

Captain Smith said: "The government had put a few soldiers on the trains running across the Isthmus, but this was often done." Colonel Shaler, general superintendent of the Panama railroad, who was a passenger on the Orizaba, ridiculed the reports of battles and incursions at the Isthmus, and said there had been no interference with the road.

Henry Willard Beam, consul for one of the asphalt companies, arrived today on the steamer Maracabo, from Venezuela. He said: "Caracas is quiet. Guarantees of the constitution have, however, been suspended on account of invasion of the Venezuela soil. Marital law exists in three states, Marida, Trujillo and Tacrita."

COLOMBIA WANTS AMERICANS.

Engaging Seamen as Officers in Its Navy.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—The Times says the government of Colombia is engaging American seamen as officers in its navy.

Jos. A. Merritt and John Grundel have been engaged as first and second officers respectively. They will be assigned to duty on the gunboat General Pinzon, formerly James Gordon Bennett's steam yacht Namouna, recently purchased in England.

WAR WILL SOON END.

England Again Feels Hopeful Regarding South African Situation.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—There is a renewed feeling of hopefulness that the war in South Africa will soon be at an end, says a London dispatch to the Tribune. The position is different from that obtaining at any time since the outbreak of hostilities in October, 1899. Natal is clear; Cape Colony is rid of Krieger; in the Orange River Colony there is practically little opposition, while in the Transvaal there are not many symptoms of Boer activity. Rumors of important developments are freely current.

It is stated that the funds of Boer leaders in Europe are now absolutely exhausted, and it is certain that the rigors of winter have told on the burghers in the field.

DOES NOT WANT FREE TRADE.

Cuban America That His People Desire Tariff Reductions Only.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—L. V. De Abad, commissioner for the Economic Association of Cuba, who is at present in this city, says that he does not believe the commercial elements of Cuba are desirous of establishing free trade tariff relations with the United States. He said: "Those who state that Cuba wants free trade with the United States have either been deceived or are trying to deceive the American people. What Cuba really does want is to harmonize her interests with those of the United States. This could be done by removing from 35 to 40 per cent of the import duties upon certain products."

NEGRO MURDERER BURNED.

DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 20.—A dispatch from Whitesboro, Texas, says the negro, Alf Wilder, charged with the murder of Mrs. Caldwell, Saturday last, was captured by a mob and burned at Nelson's ranch tonight.

AN EXPENSIVE FIRE.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 20.—The fire which began yesterday at the works of the Atlantic Refining Company at Point Breeze is still burning fiercely and is eating up oil at the rate of \$100,000 a day.

REPUBLICANS TO MEET.

ROANOKE, Va., Aug. 20.—The Republicans of Virginia will meet in state convention tomorrow. For the first time in many years the Republican state convention will seat only a few negroes.