

SEATBELT WEARERS

How Jeff Davis Finds Out a Few Things After Returning From Arkansas — That Thirty-Day Rule.

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.) Washington, May 7.—It appears that United States senators indulge in their little jokes, and that new members of that body must take their having just as freshmen from the upper classroom at college.

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Davis took himself seriously, and that made him material for "dull" days of waiting by the newspaper men in the press gallery.

All in all, the fiery Arkansas senator in the limelight, and because he came to Washington, was placed on the payroll, drew his mileage, introduced two bills, made one speech, and expired.

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"Hello," said Davis, one day, to Senator Johnston of Alabama.

"Hello, Jeff," replied Johnston.

"How you'll feel?"

"Dumb as a log," said Davis, the Alabama senator, who looked plenty serious as he proceeded.

"I just made the discovery that I had lost out on two particularly important bills because of the 30-day rule."

"What's the 30-day rule?" The Arkansas senator was apparently anxious to learn the customs of the senate.

"Why, blast it, you know that if you introduce a bill or resolution and do not call it up within 30 days it dies and has to be reintroduced as though it had never been offered before. I forgot the rule, called up my two bills on the thirty-first day and my course suffered."

"Great Donagheys! Holy Moses! Suffering Socrates! You don't mean that my trust-bills died because I was away all winter and haven't called it up."

"The devil!" came the exclamation from Senator Johnston, genuine sympathy showing in the big Alabama's generous face.

"By thunder, I'll go and see Senator Clarke of the judiciary committee and if he has allowed that bill to die I'll damn him before every voter in the great state of Arkansas." Davis had the glint of the real fighter in his eye.

"Look here, Clarke," said Davis to the chairman of the senate judiciary committee, "I've got a bill to be used here describes a place to depopulate which all the churches exist; did you allow that bill to die in Arkansas trying to induce the hot polloi to believe they didn't know whom they wanted for governor?"

...tion on account of my enslavement. At 8 a. m. Friday, May 31, began active treatment under Dr. Griffin's personal supervision, five hours previous I had taken one last dose of my accustomed morphine and cocaine. At 3 p. m. the following Tuesday I was assisted by my father, and Dr. Griffin to town, where my weight was most carefully ascertained to be 122 pounds.

My next visit to town, assisted only by Dr. Griffin, occurred on the 15th of later, Thursday, May 30, and after exercising every precaution to insure correct results, my weight was found to be 124 pounds at 2 p. m. The scales at Steusloff Bros., Butchers and Packers, in the evening at 7 p. m. I weighed on the scales at Hughes (grocers), 126 pounds.

The next day Friday, May 31, I weighed 123 pounds, and on Saturday evening, June 1, I weighed 124 pounds. The greatest care has been exercised each time I have been weighed so as to eliminate any chance of error in this case showing such remarkable gain of new tissue.

Further record I will make at intervals of weighing together with other remarks pertinent to the history of my case. I will make at time of occurrence so as to insure correctness and not trust to memory after the fact. It should be desired to give a history of this case of mine that I feel myself is without parallel in medical annals as a case of toxic building in the human body.

The remainder of this letter was written in a separate sheet of paper and signed by Edward H. Griffin, who is in the possession of Dr. Griffin who said he has misapprehended it so it cannot be used as evidence in the trial of Martin. It shows a vivid and lucid mind, is very legible and is evidently written by a sane man.

FORCING CONFESSION FROM FIEND IS ALL WRONG, SAYS DOCTOR

Portland, May 7.—To the Editor of The Journal—One Martin, a "dope fiend," has been accused of a most revolting crime, in the murder of Nathan Wolff, a citizen of this city. There is something about such a terrible crime among decent citizens, and to be accused there is no feeling but that of loathing for the terrible crime that he is accused of committing. This is not only true, but there is something radically wrong about the method of acquiring a confession from a man under these terrible circumstances by appealing to him through his desire for a "dope" that has brought him to this, and further, a confession gained by the tortures of keeping from him the only thing that gives him diseased body rest until he does confess is about as reasonable as to put a man on the rack of torture, as practiced in the middle ages.

Is it a reasonable thing to believe that such a confession as this is worth anything? Is it in accord with high moral teaching to worm a confession from a man by torture such that he would confess to anything or do anything that he would not do otherwise? Physicians who have had experience with "dope fiends" would certainly say most emphatically no.

Through someone else's error he was started on the downward road, and it would have been far better if society had protected others from being such a victim than to face its responsibility in such a case under such terrible circumstances. There are many "dope fiends."

They should be cared for before they have an opportunity to commit such terrible deeds. We all know, as physicians that they are devoid of responsibility, and yet we all are horror struck by their crimes, which might have been prevented by proper screening of the cases and incarceration when found dangerous.

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(Continued from Page One.) more, I can prove that every charge they have made against me in this case is false.

"Martin denied that he had been suffering from lack of morphine, and that he had been craving it, of course," he said. "I crave it now, but they never could have made me confess by keeping that from me. I can imagine a man that I have not committed. Last night they gave me some pills, which is the first morphine I have had since being in the jail."

"Did it make you sleep well?" asked one of the reporters.

"I don't know whether I slept or not," said Martin. "I guess I did sleep. I don't know whether I ever told Tichenor or Jones or any one else that you might have committed such a crime while under the influence of morphine or some drug," Martin was asked.



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CHASED WIFE TO THE NEIGHBORS WITH GUN

Martin Brought Up With Sharp Turn for His Conduct.

V. E. Thompson last evening swore out a complaint against J. J. Martin, 981 East Alder street, charging him with threatening to kill Thompson and Martin's wife and young daughter. The case was continued till Friday morning because of the absence of the complainant.

It is alleged that when Martin returned home last night he carried a loaded revolver which he drew on his wife and daughter, who fled to the house of Thompson next door. It was then that the man threatened Thompson's life. Officer Sloane made the arrest. Thompson is in jail in default of \$1,000.

Martin has been conducting an employment agency at Second and Burnside streets. His arrest, according to Mrs. Martin and others, has resulted in a series of abuses toward his family.

MODERN WOODMEN NOMINATE DELEGATES

The triennial state camp of the Modern Woodmen of America, held at Ashland yesterday, was called to order by the state consul, H. G. King, of Forest Grove. After the appointment of the usual committees, F. A. Turner was unanimously chosen state consul and L. J. Cori of Forest Grove state clerk for the ensuing term.

Lisle Gloves 25c Values at 10c—About 10 dozen pairs of women's wrist-length Lisle Gloves in tans, grays and black; these are sold regularly at 25c pair, but owing to not having a full line of sizes we will offer the entire lot at less than half price, Bargain Friday, per pair..... 10c

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443d BARGAIN FRIDAY Unmatchable Offerings From Every Section TODAY'S "STORE NEWS" DOES NOT BEGIN TO TELL ALL THE NEWS—You must come and visit the various departments in order to glean the many items of interest, for it's during these weekly sales that we throw out all small lots of merchandise—all broken lines, soiled or mussed goods and special purchases and mark everything to sell at once at a mere fraction of the regular selling price.

In the Knit Underwear Section Tomorrow Women's Sweater Coats Best \$6.50 Values at \$3.79 A very special lot for tomorrow's selling of nearly 30 dozen women's fine pure wool Knit Sweaters, made in the popular new pony coat style, double breasted, trimmed with two rows of large pearl buttons, several fancy weaves to choose from, all sizes in both white and cardinal; no woman's wardrobe is complete without one of these nobby sweater coats; take advantage of this great sale tomorrow, \$3.79 when you can buy regular \$6.50 Sweater Coats at.....

An Embroidery Sale Most Extraordinary! Greatest of all Embroidery sales. This season's best bargains in beautiful new embroideries will be on five great bargain tables Friday; only a few of them are advertised here. Don't buy a yard of Embroidery for any purpose before you have seen these most remarkable values. Embroideries Worth From 75c to \$1.25 Yard, at 33c About 20,000 yards of beautiful new Embroideries with Insertions and Bands to match, placed on sale tomorrow at this wonderfully low price. The lot consists of fine Swiss, nainsook and cambric Edgings from 10 to 18 inches wide, suitable for skirts, shirtswaists and children's dresses; also 18-inch corset cover embroideries in hundreds of choice patterns, and 2 to 4-inch Bands and Insertions in an unlimited assortment of designs; it's a great sale of a very special purchase from 33c one of the largest St. Gall factories; values in this lot from 75c to \$1.25, yard, Bargain Friday 33c

In the Suit Section Tomorrow Beautiful Silk Waists \$6.50 and \$7.50 Values at \$3.98 Four styles of very handsome white Silk Waists will be on sale tomorrow, Bargain Friday, at an exceptionally low price; one style is made of high-grade taffeta silk, finished with fine tucks, stitched pleats and folds; another style of beautiful quality silk crepe de chine, finished with fine tucks back and front; the third style is of heavy Japanese silk, finished with handsome embroidery and lace on front and tucked back; all sizes in all styles; \$6.50 and \$7.50 values, special for Bargain Friday..... \$3.98

Sale of Underwear and Men's Furnishings Visit our Men's Section tomorrow and look over some of our Bargain Friday offerings. We are going to hit prices in this department good and hard, and it is a duty you owe to your own best interests to attend this great sale and share in the savings. Men's Underwear, Best 75c Grade at 49c A very important sale of men's Underwear; important because of the correct weight, the dependable quality and the exceedingly low price at which we offer these splendid garments. Men's seasonable weight Jersey ribbed cotton Underwear, shirts and drawers in all sizes; shirts made with fine elastic ribbed neck and heavy corded silk front, both shirts and drawers are form-fitting and extra good values at 75c a garment; they come in ecru color, specially priced for Bargain Friday at..... 49c

TWO SILK BARGAINS Rough Pongee Silks, Reg. \$1 Quality 69c 2,000 yards of Shantarah rough Pongee Silks, warranted all pure silk, one of the most popular and durable silks of the season; comes in a full line of the newest and best shades, golden brown, Copenhagen blue, natural, tan; navy, light blue, pink, etc.; also 26-inch Shan Tung Pongee Silk, hand made, will wash and wear like linen; regular \$1 qualities, specially priced for Bargain Friday at..... 69c

Don't accept a substitute of unknown composition for this non-secret medicinal KNOW COMPOSITION.

The White Evening Waistcoat. From the London Graphic. Anything that breaks through the glassy frontal, watery aspect of male evening dress is to be applauded. But practically as a general rule, the white evening waistcoat cannot be effectively worn by the majority of men. Black is well known, diminishes the proportions, but white undoubtedly increases them. It has been men whom I have hitherto considered to be slim appear in white evening waistcoats and look absolutely corpulent.

When tea is good, do you know why it is good; and, when it is bad, do you know why it is bad? Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him.