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MRS. PARKER BELIEVES LIEUT. ADAMS SLEW SUTTON

SISTER MAKES NO SECRET OF AVOWAL

Mother of Dead Officer Says Her Son Could Not Miss Human Target at Fifty Paces—Witness Is Closely Cross-Examined.

Lieutenant James N. Sutton of the marine corps died as a result of a wound in the head caused by a pistol shot on October 13, 1907.

Lieutenant Sutton is said to have quarreled with a brother officer as they, accompanied by several other officers, were returning in an automobile from a dance at Annapolis to the barracks.

There was a fist fight after the party left the automobile, in which Sutton is said to have been vanquished.

It is said he fired one shot at Lieutenant Robert E. Adams of the marine corps, but did not strike him.

According to the testimony Sutton, who had been thrown to the ground in the fracas, then shot himself in the head.

A board of officers appointed to investigate Sutton's death rendered a verdict that he had committed suicide.

The case has been reopened on request of Lieutenant Sutton's mother, who declares her son was murdered.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Annapolis, Md., July 20.—"Well, if the whole world knows that I believe Lieutenant Adams killed my brother, then I may as well say it openly. He is the man I do think killed him." Mrs. Rose Sutton Parker made the foregoing startling statement during the course of an extended conversation today. It was the first open avowal of the theory of near relatives of Lieutenant James Sutton in the inquiry as to the circumstances surrounding the death of the young officer that has been reopened by the government.

Mother and daughter are interested spectators at the hearing that has been brought about largely through their activity in hunting up new evidence.

Dead Shot With Revolver.

"We allege," declared Mrs. Sutton, "that Lieutenant Adams' assertion on the witness stand, that he, unarmed, rushed to grapple James that night, with 18 to 30 paces of open ground intervening, James covering him with two pistols, after twice threatening his (Adams') life and already having shot at him, is wholly absurd.

"My son was a dead shot. Since he was 10 years of age he practiced constantly until he could hit a bolt head at 30 paces nine times out of 10. If he sought to shoot anyone at less than 50 paces and had half a chance, his perfect aim would make his victim a certain target. I can prove this by many witnesses."

Mrs. Sutton made this statement at the conclusion of the hearing last evening.

Mrs. Rose Sutton Parker indorsed her mother's view of Adams' story. Henry E. Davis, H. W. Van Dyke and E. W. Van Dyke, their counsel, backed them up, Davis adding:

"It was still more absurd when Adams alleged that, fighting for his life against an antagonist who, he swears, had vowed to kill him, he (Adams) arose from the prostrate body of his foe and stood calmly by, thus voluntarily placing his life again in jeopardy."

They were grouped on the veranda at Carvel Hall, discussing the results of the first day's hearing. All were flushed with the anticipation of victory, and all but openly congratulated themselves that Adams by his own admissions had made impossible another verdict of suicide.

Adams Denies His Own Story.

Davis' examination of Adams, though conducted by means of the softest toned questions, and with the most polished courtesy, was an act of torture. Taking up the record of Adams' testimony in the previous inquiry, Davis read from the official stenographer's report in cool,

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Here are two principal witnesses in the investigation as to the cause of the death of Lieutenant Sutton of the marine corps. On the right is Lieutenant Robert Adams and on the left Sergeant James De Hart. They were taken at the United States rifle range at Sea Girt, New Jersey.

ONE NAUGHTY; OTHER A FOOL

Secretary Meyer Publishes Findings in Holden-Osburn Affair.

Vallejo, Cal., July 20.—Lieutenant Franklin Wayne ("Boy") Osburn, party with the wife of Lieutenant Commander Holden A. Evans to an alleged osculatory performance enacted in the Evans home last Christmas morning, that set navy circles gossiping and who figured in the divorce of Evans and his wife, is to be reprimanded by his superior officers, according to advices from Secretary of the Navy Meyer, which reached here today.

As a result of Osburn's alleged indiscretions he was called to account before a naval court of inquiry. Secretary Meyer yesterday announced his findings upon the report of the court and the young lieutenant will not be tried before a court martial.

Lieutenant Commander Evans, also, is to be subjected to an official reprimand, according to the same advices. He is to be reproved for giving undue publicity to his domestic infelicities.

ELLA GINGLES IS NOT A THIEF

Jury Discredits White Slave Story—Girl Goes Back to Ireland.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, July 20.—Ella Gingles, the lacemaker, was last night acquitted of a charge of stealing lace from Miss Agnes Barrett. She will be sent to her home in Ireland, according to an announcement made by her attorney today.

Miss Gingles said today that she would not consider an offer made by theatrical managers to put her on the stage.

The jury in acquitting the girl of a charge of theft returned a verdict discrediting the sensational story told by her on the witness stand. This story was to the effect that Miss Barrett, for whom she formerly worked, instigated two brutal attacks upon her last winter and attempted to sell her as a "white slave" to an unnamed man at French Lick Springs, Indiana.

ILLINOIS MAY ELECT U. S. SENATORS BY OREGON PLAN

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Chicago, July 20.—Plans are being developed for a strong fight to effect the adoption of the Oregon plan for election of United States senators when the Illinois legislature meets next fall to draft a new primary election law. All over Illinois there is a conviction that steps must be taken to prevent a repetition of the senatorial deadlock which demoralized the legislature last session.

While a revision of the national constitution is necessary to obtain direct popular election of senators, the Oregon plan may be adopted by Illinois and put into effect at once, without any constitutional tinkering. The politicians are beginning to realize that the voters having known the benefits of direct nomination of party candidates, will not consent to return to the old caucus and convention system.

Among those supporting the movement here are: George M. Reynolds, president Continental National bank; John P. McGoorty, former member of legislature; George E. Hooker, secretary City club; Anton Cornak, state representative; Louis M. Greeley, professor of law Northwestern university.

BRITISH PRINCESS MANUEL'S BRIDE

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Lisbon, Portugal, July 20.—El Liberal, the official government organ, today announces the engagement of King Manuel and Princess Alexandra, oldest daughter of the Duke of Fife.

Princess Alexandra was born in 1891. Her mother, Princess Louise Victoria Alexandra Dagma, is a daughter of King Edward of England, who married a commoner on July 27, 1889. The dukedom of Fife was created for the couple. Although the Duchess of Fife, by marrying beneath her, lost the rank of royal princess, she is a great favorite in England, and at state functions, by common courtesy, takes her place with the British royal family.

ONTARIO AWAITS BALLINGER'S VISIT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Ontario, Or., July 20.—Secretary of the Interior Ballinger will arrive in Ontario Saturday, July 24, to inspect the Malheur project. The chief object of the secretary's visit, it is said, is to sound the sentiment of land owners toward government aid in building the irrigation system. The people north from Arcadia, including the vicinities of Ontario, Vale and the Dead Ox flat, favor a government project. Those living in the vicinity of Nyssa and the Owyhee favor the high line ditch company. Both factions will be represented by delegations at Ontario next Saturday.

Because of the intense feeling, it has been suggested that if the government should decide to take up the Malheur project, all the land south of Arcadia, which includes the Nyssa and the Owyhee sections, be left out. This seems to be the only feasible way of adjusting the matter, as the land owners north of Arcadia will not sign their land with the high line company, even if the government should refuse to take up the project. They prefer to form a separate irrigation district.

PASSENGERS STOP SANTA FE FLYER TO HUNT A HUNTER

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Bernardino, Cal., July 20.—Robert Hickok was shooting doves in a field near here when a fast express train on the Santa Fe road was passing. Mrs. Hutchinson, a passenger, seeing Hickok about to fire, leaned from the window in time to receive a tiny shot in her nose. She screamed and fell back in her seat with blood trickling down her face. Angry passengers surrounded the conductor and demanded that the train be stopped and Hickok captured.

The flyer slowed down and the frightened hunter was ordered to board the train. He was surrounded by a number of irate passengers, but after explanation and apology he was permitted to go and the train moved on.

SUFFRAGISTS ASSAILED BY BUCHTEL

Noted Lecturer, Preacher and ex-Governor Says Only Dregs of Womankind Crazy to Vote—Woman's Influence Vs. Power.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, July 20.—Although the Rev. Dr. Henry A. Buchtel, former governor of Colorado, announced that he disliked the discussion and outbursts that would follow his remarks on woman suffrage, it is probable, from the attitude of several suffragist leaders, that the pastor will be a target for criticism for several days.

Dr. Buchtel, who is chancellor of Denver university, discussed woman suffrage from the standpoint of one who has experienced the effects of women's use of the franchise.

"Only the dregs of womankind vote in Colorado; the mothers have to be practically clubbed to the polls," said the minister.

"It is a hateful subject to me," he continued, "for, once I make any statement regarding it, all the long-haired men and short-haired women will be up in arms to argue about it. I dislike to incur any unnecessary outbursts, but New York is taking woman suffrage far more seriously now than Colorado, where the women have full rights.

Won't Listen to Argument.

"Chivalry was the motive that promoted equal franchise in Colorado, and the woman legislators have been suffered to put forth their claims, out of deference to their sex. There have been few who did not demand the most absurd and unreasonable laws. The only trouble about the women legislators is that they will not listen to arguments—no woman will. Logic does not appeal to them.

"I remember that once a minister took to advising the women of his flock to interest themselves in a certain temperance bill. He adjured them to use their influence for it, and he actually had to threaten them before he could impress upon them the urgency of the case.

Wouldn't Vote for Fiance.

"One young woman who was an employe of mine was engaged and her fiance was up for office, but he could not induce her to cast her vote, even for him. She maintained that as she never had cast the ballot, she did not wish to begin, though she was in favor of the particular party of which he was a candidate. In the end her pastor prevailed upon her and she voted. That is the attitude of the women of Colorado.

"They are happy to know that the privilege is not withheld from them, but they are not especially anxious to exercise the right.

"I will admit there is an inferior type of women who rush to the polls as a means of grafting, just as a certain class of inferior men use politics for their own ends, but it is this class of women that keeps the conservative home women away from the polls; the latter shrinks from coming in contact with this other type of women..

Philosophy of the Franchise.

"There are women from the beginning of the world whose wit and intuition have been valuable in every line of business, art or politics. These are the women of influence—not the women of power, who have only succeeded in bringing trouble or unhappiness in their train.

"Power was not intended for woman; influence is more subtle, and it is a woman's greatest force. When woman seeks power, it is a great calamity, not only for her but for the men as well.

"My wife and daughter shun politics, as do the majority of the women in Colorado. I believe that women want the vote without the responsibility which the privilege entails and I agree that the franchise should be granted them, but I do not think the vote is good for them, nor they for politics."

In the Want Ad Section of The Journal Today

57 Advertise for help
10 Advertise for situations
46 Advertise furnished rooms for rent
120 Advertise real estate for sale
58 Advertise business chances
43 Advertise houses for rent
14 Advertise flats for rent
31 Advertise housekeeping rooms for rent.

The Journal "Want Ad" Department maintains a free bureau to assist the public in the recovery of lost articles.

RICH GOLD STRIKE IN SIERRA COUNTY

Nevada City, Cal., July 20.—Scores of miners from this place, Alleghaney and other camps are stampeding into American Hill, a camp in Sierra county, where a vein of gold ore assaying $3000 to the ton has been discovered. American Hill is eight miles east of Alleghaney.

Former United States Ambassador Lloyd C. Griscom, who represented this country in Italy, has just returned home. He says: "I am through with the diplomatic service for all time. I want to live in America and make an American of my son."

NOISY WOMEN PUT ASQUITH TO FLIGHT

London, July 20.—Bombarded with literature dropped from a balloon, assailed by an attacking force of women with petitions and annoyed by the din of female orators armed with megaphones, Premier Asquith was defeated by the suffragettes today.

The premier was delivering an address at the unveiling of a statue of Sir Wilfred Lawson, at the Thames Embankment gardens when the women started the battle. So successful were the suffragettes' tactics that Asquith became badly confused and was compelled to cut short his speech.

The first move made by the women was to send "sharpshooters" armed with megaphones to the tops of buildings adjoining the gardens. These women waited until the speaker reached a climax in his oration and then with one accord screamed through their papier mache horns:

"We want votes for women."

This shout arose each time the premier reached a particularly dramatic point in his speech and completely drowned out the sound of the orator's voice.

Simultaneously with the shouting of the megaphone squad, a force of "infantry" charged the crowd surrounding the speaker's stand in an attempt to force its way to Asquith and present petitions demanding equal suffrage. The police checked the rush of the women but only after strenuous efforts.

As a final volley the suffragettes sent up a huge balloon which hovered over the head of the premier while its occupants showered suffragetts literature down upon his head. This was the last straw and Asquith was compelled to withdraw from the stand.

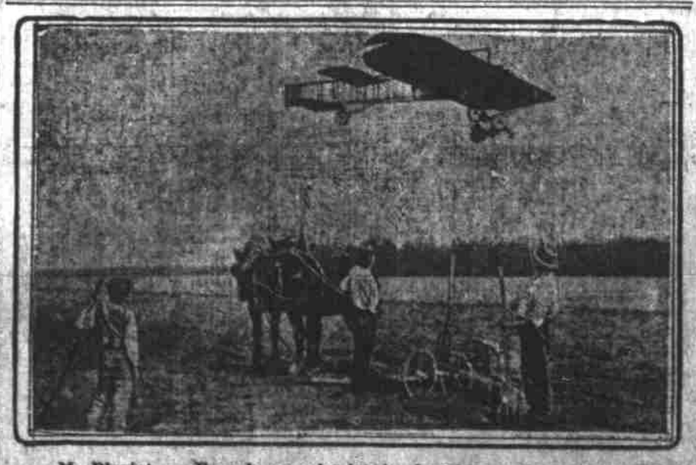
LONDON BUYING UNION PACIFIC

Harriman Opponents Said to Be in the Market for Common Shares.

New York, July 20.—Passing to the highest point in its history, Union Pacific common shares made an entirely new high record in the stock market today.

Interests abroad, said to be unfriendly to the Harriman regime, were heavy purchasers of Union Pacific shares here today, and at London there was mysterious buying, said to be from the same source.

Union Pacific acted very erratic during the day, and was rather weak until the big orders from abroad came in. Then the market advanced sharply, moving almost a point within the space of a half hour.



M. Bleriot, a French aeroplanist, is planning to fly across the British channel. He recently flew 25 miles in a straight line near Chalons, France. The picture shows his aeroplane in flight.

PORTLAND ANNEXES A.-Y.-P. FOR ONE DAY

Rose City Insignia Displayed by Throngs of Proud and Happy Visitors; All Others Lost in Crowd—Social Triumph—Journal Band Makes Great Hit.

By Anne Shannon Monroe.

Exposition Grounds, Seattle, July 20.—Portland has taken possession of the "Fair City" and is completely encamped on lawn and in pavilion, filling the buildings and overflowing into the streets.

It is the greatest day of the fair, in attendance, enthusiasm and interest. Every badge seems to be a Portland badge, while banners and pennants other than Portland's are lost in the throng. The highest tide is reached. It is doubtful if such another day will be experienced.

Concert by Journal Band.

Since 9 o'clock the gates have not ceased their incessant turning. Portland has moved in, a happy, jolly good natured throng. At 11 o'clock The Journal band held large crowds in front of the Oregon building, further sustaining Portland's musical reputation.

The reception in the Oregon building from 3 to 5 will draw tremendous throngs. It is to be followed with a lawn party, with punch and wafers served to all guests.

The ladies' orchestra of Portland, Miss Barker leader, has a very special treat for Portland day, a violin solo on an old "Stradˆ" of 1701 by Miss Barker.

Distinct Social Triumphs.

Prominent Portland ladies are making the social features of the Oregon building notable. Everything moves beautifully, without a hitch. All strangers are welcomed most hospitably. In fact, it is notable that Oregon building social matters have eclipsed all others in the ease and smoothness with which everything has moved along.

Early in the day additional guards were secured to handle the great crowds. By noon not a pennant nor a badge was left for late comers. Commissioner Wehrung has his hands full but they seem competent to manage anything most satisfactorily. There is no confusion nor discomfort.

Portland Makes the Great Hit.

Portland has undoubtedly made a tremendous hit with the "Fair City," no small part of which is due to the gracious and handsomely gowned hostesses who will before the day is over have broken the handshaking record of Oregon day, when it approached 4000.

Many comments are heard on the freshness, youth and beauty of Oregon women, it being often said, "They are the finest looking women who have come to Seattle this summer."

Oregon Hostesses.

The hostesses who are receiving this afternoon are the following: Mrs. R. Lutke, Mrs. Wynn Johnson, Mrs. W. J. Hoffman, Mrs. J. C. Labarr, Miss A. S. Monroe, Mrs. B. Neustadter, Miss Leila Shelby, Mrs. G. O. Wold, Miss Nona Lawler, Mrs. Hugh Hume, Mrs. M. L. T. Hidden, Mrs. J. C. Hare, Mrs. John Brown, Mrs. W. H. Wehrung, Mrs. E. W. Rowe, Mrs. M. D. Wisdom.

TINY KIDDIES DIVIDE HONORS WITH US

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Seattle, July 20.—This is not only Portland day, but also baby day at the exposition. The Portland visitors received more attention, because of superior numbers. The babies, an even three dozen of them, were christened in the auditorium and each presented with a certificate of attendance and a silver souvenir cup. A white silk canopy, under which the rites were performed, with flowers and ribbons of baby blue, formed the stage decorations. The band played "Babes in Toyland" and the parents of the June babies stood about in an admiring group and looked on.

The Portland folk celebrated their day 5000 strong. No one who attended the exposition had any doubt about whose day it was. The Oregonians made their presence felt. There was something doing every minute, although no formal celebration was scheduled until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when the addresses of welcome were made and a reception held at the Oregon State building.

The Portland Journal Carriers' band gave a concert this morning, and will give another this evening in front of the Oregon building.

The special trainload of Portlanders will not start home until tomorrow morning, and the visitors will spend the evening on the Pay Streak with the delegates to the National Editorial association and members of the Seattle Press club.

Additional Delegates Appointed.

(By Journal Leased Salem Wire.)

Salem, Or., July 20.—Governor Benson has appointed the following additional delegates from this state to the National Irrigation congress, to be held at Spokane, August 9 to 14: Benjamin Irwin, Portland; W. A. Hall, Union; L. L. Mann, Pendleton; Cato J. Johns, Sumpter; O. C. Finkelberg, Baker City; Jay H. Dobbin, Joseph; F. S. Hurd, Haines; J. L. Litz, Lawen; E. L. Smith, Hood River; Charles Hilton, Fossil; Walter Love, Baker City.

WABASH LOCATES GENERAL NORTHWEST OFFICES HERE

Locating general freight and passenger offices of the Wabash lines in Portland brings into the fight for northwest business every important railroad system in the United States save the Baltimore & Ohio and Santa Fe. The Wabash campaign for business in the territory of which Portland is the center and San Francisco and Seattle the antipodes comes after years of planning and figuring on profits and methods.

The Portland branch is the first location of the system in the Pacific northwest. W. D. Stubbs, who has received the very desirable appointment of general Wabash agent for this district, is expected to arrive in Portland today. The location of the company's offices will follow his arrival and the formal opening will take place August 1.

Now that the Wabash has invaded the territory popularly supposed to belong to Hill and Harriman, the report comes that the Baltimore & Ohio will also establish general offices in Portland in the near future.

"Portland is regarded as the key to the railroad situation of the Pacific northwest, if not of the entire Pacific coast," said a prominent railroad man this morning. "Hill and Harriman's game of checkers for position has been long watched by other railroads, which have figured as spectators. But you never saw the onlooker in a checker game who didn't believe he could play the game better than the fellow that is in it. So with the railroads. They're all coming in to get their position on this Pacific coast king row. As a matter of fact, there is room here for everyone. The tremendous movements of lumber to eastern markets impending because of depleted forests in the states east of the Mississippi, together with the agricultural and mineral development of this country make it impossible for any one line without competition to render satisfactory passenger and freight service to the rapidly increasing population."

ARCTIC ATROCITY MAY BE REVEALED

Fugitive Witness in Whaler Belvedere Case Caught in California.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Mare Island, Cal., July 20.—After eluding for two months the pursuit of United States Marshal J. P. Hubrick and his deputies, Mike McDonald, seaman, star witness for the government in its case against the captain, mate and five sailors of the whaling schooner Belvedere, who are accused of the murder of four Esquimaux, is in custody here and will be taken to Sitka to appear at the trial.

The sailors are accused of plying with liquor the entire population of a native village at the mouth of the Mackenzie river last summer and of shanghaiing two men and two girls of the village. It is alleged that the men were drowned and that the girls were kept aboard the Belvedere until the approach of a revenue cutter caused the crew to drown them. When the cutter's crew searched the Belvedere for contraband the story of the alleged murder was told by two of the sailors.

Hubrick was a friend of Jack London when that writer was searching the north for story material. His chase of McDonald led through six states and was ended at Grass Valley.