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UNCLE OF CHILD

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Will Rogers Contesses to the Abduction of Nephew, Little Waldo Rogers

IMPLICATED BY CONFESSION OF EX-CONVICT WIGGINS

Intense Excitement Is Aroused and Demonstration Is Feared-Jail is Guarded by a Large Force of Deputies-Ex-Convict Became Acquainted With Rogers Through Law Firm Which Secures Pardons from Penitentiary-Brother John Exonerated,

Las Vegas, N. M., April 12.-Implicated by the confession of Joe Wiggins, a former life convict, Will Rogers, uncle of little Waldo Rogers, was last night arrested for complicity in the lad's abduction. For his re-Rogers acting as agent for Mrs. Rog-

Will Rogers has confessed his part his statement, Will Rogers does not connect his brother, John, with the kidnapping plot. The latter has not been arrested, although he is under

surveillance, These disclosures have again aroused the city to a degree of excitement that authorities fear may result in a demonstration against the accused.

Deputies Guard Jail, Wiggins and Will Rogers are in the county jall, which is guarded by a large force of deputies. Plans have been made for taking the prisoners to the penitentiary at Santa Fe to-

morrow for safekeeping. The arrest of Wiggins came late to-His confession gave a sensational turn to the mystery that for more than ten days has surrounded the kidnapping of little Waldo Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rogers,

of \$12,000 ransom. According to the story told by Wiggins, he first became acquainted with by which the latter was employed ting Wiggins pardoned from the pening \$10,000 easy money,

Wiggins says he came to Las Vegas in a few days and later entered into the plot.

Kidnaped March 29,

Waldo Rogers, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rogers and the grandson of H. L. Waldo, a Kansas City millionaire, was kidnapped from the family residence on the night of March 29, by two masked men who at the point of a revolver compelled night ride and deliver him to them. They promised that the child would

clared that his brother, John Rogers, ed when Taft put the first ball over confessed to having planned the ab- spite of the cold, cloudy weather. ductin and said the actual stealing of the child was done by Joe Wiggins.

Not until the confession and the recovery of the money did A. T. Rogers, father of the stolen child, believe his brother was implicated. Will Rogers is being closely guarded as it is

PHILIPPINE SOLDUER IN BAD AT SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, April 12.-With two bullets in his body, his head beaten by a revolver butt, and so crazed from drink that he cannot answer ly questions, Captain Fred Cook of the 12th Cavairy, U. S. A., is in a hospital here today with a small chance of his recovery. Cook arriv-ed last night from the Philippine islands. Early today he broke into Spreckels' meat market on Market street, and attacked the watchman, J. J. Hayes, who shot the officer, be-mood, a friend called to tell him a

COMMERCIAL CLUB EATS THIS EVENING

WILL BE HELD AT THE EAGLES-WOODMEN HALL

Increased Interest Causes Committee to Secure Larger Quarters for Affair-United Orchestra to Play-C. C. Chapman, the Principal

Instead of being held at the Odd Fellows banquet hall, as originally planned, the Commercial club lunchturn \$12,000 ransom was paid, Will con this evening wil take place at the Eagles-Woodmen hall. The change in the arrangements was made in orin the abduction. He told were the der to be sure of accommodating money was hidden and officers have those who will be in attendance. At gone in search of the \$12,000. In first preparations were made for a smaller crowd than was in attendance at the first monthly banquet but developments yesterday led the entertainment committee to change its

> The luncheon will be served at 6:15 in the banquet room of the Eagles-Woodmen hall and the affair will be pen to all Commercial club members and to non-members who may desire to unite with the association, Music will be furnished by the United Orchestra and following the lunchon a speaking program will be taken

C. Chapman, manager of the Portland Commercial club, will be the chief guest of honor and will address the gathering upon the subject of promotion work. A number of local people will also be called upon for brief talks. ¿mong the talks will and his safe return upon the payment be remarks by some of the committee ance.

chairmen, The question of securing a better club home will also be discussed at John Rogers through the law firm the meeting. At this time the special committee named to investigate vaand which was instrumental in get- rious propositions regarding new quarters is still at work. The comitentiary. Wiggins says that while mittee therefore will not be able to working in the coal mines at Madrid, submit a final report this evening N. M., he received a letter from John but this fact will probably not bar Rogers suggesting a scheme for mak- an interesting discussion of the sub-

PRESIDENT TAFT PITCHES FIRST BALL

Washington, April 12.- Deserting Mrs. Rogers to dress the child for a the tangled affairs of state to formally inaugurate the 1911 baseball scason of the national game, President be returned unharmed on payment Taft today fossed the first ball here, of \$12,000 in small bils at a lonely opening the contest between the Senspot 11 miles north of Las Vegas, The ators and the Boston Red Sox. A payment was made and the child re- long line of senators, congressmen and cabinet members were with the Will Rogers, in his confession, de- president on the grounds. All cheerhad no knowledge of the crime. He the plate. A big crowd attended in

CARRIE NATION NOT DEAD AS REPORTED YESTERDAY

Leavenworth, Kas., April 11.-The report that Carrie Nation was dead yesterday is untrue. She suffered a feared that he will attempt to com- relapse but death is considered improbable for possibly a week.

LOCAL SADDLERS MAKE INVENTION THAT MEANS MUCH TO HORSEMEN

What is declared by riders of horses, case where rings are used, to be the most important invention

a strain of 2000 pounds, The cable is said to be much strongier on horse and ridr alike. Coming it has applied to the contrivance. underneath the stirrup leathers, the break eventually as is generally the genius of two of its members.

One well known local rider who in connection with saddle manufac- tried the saddle out today says it turing made in many years has just makes the easiest riding saddle he evbeen perfected by Frederick J. Mc- er used and commented especially on Monies and Lester Hamley of the free swing of the stirrup leath-Hamley Harness company of this city. ers. There has been almost a steady It consists of a new rigging which string of cowboys to the Hamley shop does away with the cinch rings and since the saddle with the new rigleather fastenings and substitutes for ging was placed on exhibit and all them a small wire cable, covered with have agreed that it was a remarkable rawhide and capable of withstanding improvement and wondered why it

Nad not been thought of before, It is to be called the "Never-break" er and more durable than rings, makes rigging, as that is one of the first atthe saddle less cumbersome and eas- tributes that every rider who has seen

A patent on the invention is pendcable rigging allows free space for ing and the Hamley company is ful-cinching the saddle and does not wear by protected and stands to make a neat on the leathers, causing them to little sum of money by reason of the

in History

NEW YORK GIANTS ARE PICKED AS WINNERS

OPEN TODAY

Philadelphia is Touted to Win in the Urges That Sheepmen be Prepared American League—The Chicago Cubs Once Favorites Are on the Decline-Cincinnati and Philadelphia Will Show the Most Changes of any of the Leading Teams-Hughey Jennings Says Detroit is Going to Carry Off the Flag in the National Like the Cubs Did Last Year.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

National League Philadelphia at New Pittsburg at Cincinnati, St. Louis at Chicago,

American League, New York at Philadelphia, Boston at Washington, Chicago at Detroit. . Cleveland at St. Louis

York, April 12.-Six months of und luted low for the baseball fan,

Today begins what bids fair to be r conducted on such a comprehen- made under present conditions. ive and businesslike basis that it is pretty safe to predict that every seacon will be a little better on the whole than the preceding year. of this fact prompts President Lynch f the National and President Johnon of the American to predict that 1911 will set a new record in attend-

New York a Pavorite, Chicago. Of the three who picked of the hands of five or six western which insurrector had exterted from bridges on the Nace branch of the Chicago, two were Chicago scribes, insurgent senators. The western citizens, his wife being held as host-Three also, touted Pittsburg for the sheepmen do not seem to have realiz- age until his return. He complained flag. In the American league 29 of that this tariff reduction will mean to the governor of Sinaloa, according to today's ad-

the winner. It is easy enough to see why the ity. Athletics should be such a unanimous | I am, therefore, enclosing you choice, for the team showed last sea-night letter blank and most urgently son that it is still coming, but it is request that you wire to either Sen-difficult to see why the Cubs should ator Chamberlain or Bourne, or both son that it is still coming, but it is request that you wire to either Sen-difficult to see why the Cubs should ator Chamberlain or Bourne, or both run such a bad second to New York. If you can, a vigorous protest against It is probably because the Giants any change in Tariff Schedule K, and made such a strong finish and the that the question of revising the wool Cubs went down to such inglorious tariff not be considered until at least defeat before the Athletics in the after the tariff commission reports. I world's title games,

however, may be predicted as only not fear the exact facts. one basis-a fall-down on the on the part of several of the old stars. The will be very small and you will ac-Chicago team that takes the field to-day is practically the same team that won four of the last National league saving it from ruin. This telegram flags. Manager Chance's combina- should be sent within the next two tion has proved unbeatable in the or three days or it will not do much national league, so that the only way good, as Schedule K will be the first it is likely to lose this year will be thing congress will consider; I urge for the hither airtight machine to you again to give this your immediate

unexpected strength. Chance's veteran team becoming gram.
creaky than that the Giants, the Pimaintain it to the end,

Practically the same situation ob-tains in the amp of the Cubs. ManIn a few weeks a tariff commission Mathewson Good As Ever.

The Giants are still another team it last year, with the bare possibility that Becker may find a place in the outfield at the last moment, in place of Snodgrass. The Giants got a miserable start last year, to which fact Manager McGraw attributes the los of the pennant. This year he counts on a better beginning and has forti-

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Season of 1911 Bids Fair to be Secretary Smythe Urges Woolthe Most Prosperous Year growers to Protest Against Change in Schedule K

TO SHEEPMEN

SAYS TARIFF REDUCTION WILL RUIN THE INDUSTRY

When the Tariff Commission Calls WOMEN AND CHILDREN Upon Them to Furnish Data on Exact Expense of Running Their Sheep-Should Be Able to Show That Only a Fair Profit is Made Under Present Conditions - One Thousand Letters are to be Sent Together With Night Letter Blanks.

Dan P Smythe of this city secreciation, is today sending letters and at blanks to one thousand sheep-

broughout the northwest, urgm to telegraph immediately to ors Bourne and Chamberlain priesting against any change in tariff chedule K and asking that the question of revising the wool tariff not be usidered until at least after the tariff commission reports. He insists that western woolgrowers appreciate

the industry. He urges also that the sheepmen in other words the 1911 baseball sea- he prepared when the tariff commis- of the railroad in Juarez decline to on, opened today in both of the big sion calls upon them within the next state whether the insurectos have few weeks to furnish data on the ex- merely stopped traffic or destroyed act expense of running their sheep, bridges. the most propitious year the national the amount of proceeds they receive yesterday's game has ever known. Baseball has from the sale of sheep and wool, train, due here at 5:35 p. m., had not own so tremendously big and is showing that only a fair profit is left Pearson, the southern terminus

> The Letter. Following is a copy of the letter which is being sent broadcast:

Pendleton, Ore., April 7, 1911. Washington, D. C., including leaders optican and held for days, being on both sides of congress; concede forced to treat the wounded men, al- tion of senators and the joint ratifithe democratic house from reducing when some of them died from gan-the tariff in wood about 6c a pound. There as a result of operations with well known sporting editors in big reling that the U. S. senate is not with death on the charge of poisonthere is, thank fortune, a general league towns found 24 pinning their birdly to pass any tartif bill. The lng the men. He was finally forced faith to New York and only three in lariff situation, however, seems to be to go to Culiacan to cash checks these writers selected the Philadel- the utter ruin of the industry. Very to the statements from Culiacan but phia Athletics to repeat, while one few letters have come in from west-lone dopester looked to Detroit for ern sheepmen and nothing seems to the statements of the statements make them realize their responsibil- at sundown,

think we can safely take chances on The failure of the Cubs to repeat, the tariff commission as we should

The cost of sending this night letter "blow" or for other teams to exhibit attention and not put it in your pocket or lay it to one side and forget Those who are pessimistic regard- about it. This means that everyone ng Chicago, put the proposition this should do this and not a few, and you way: There is more likelihood of by all means should send in this tele-

rates or the Cincinnati Reds will not cial clubs, merchants and business strike a swift and deadly gait and men write letters to Senators Chamberlain and Bourne, protesting against

ager Chance has added Pitchers will probably call on you for data on Toney and Griffen and Outfielders the exact expense of running sheep Doyle and Shean, but they will prob- in the state of Oregon. It is requestably be for emergencies and fail of ed that you be prepared to furnish regular berths. Toney looks to be the them with accurate data on cost of dogs, today thinks the goddess For- other wholesale delivery, eal goods and Chance is certain he running your sheep and the amount of tuna has dealt most unkindly with him | Sadly he returned to bed but was has uncovered another wonder like proceeds you receive from the sale for he has lost almost all of the fruits up early this morning and soon had "King" Cole. If Toney and Griffen of sheep and wool, showing that only of his labor by reason of certain nine more untagged brutes in the make good, the oft-repeated cry that at least a small profit is made, under Chance's pitching staff was cracking present conditions. Please be caremay be found unfounded. One thing ful and give the exact facts because terday he swooped down upon the rov- dog catcher was almost in despair. in the Cubs' favor is the improved if the case is over-stated it will do ing canines and by noon had corraled "I have caught half a hundred dogs" form this year of Big Red Reulbach, more harm than good. The sheep- thirty three of those animals in the he said, "and have only 14 left. It's who was out of the game the first men are entitled to a fair profit and above mentioned pavilion. Yesterday a case of 'to have and to hold.' Many half of last year from an attack of it is not expected that they should afternoon one of the imprisoned dogs of those which escaped I shall never ducing kool and mutton. This is the ed down the street, most critical time ever known to the that takes the field just as they left industry and your support and action is badly needed.

Very truly yours. DAN P. SMYTHE, Secretary.

One Drunk in Court, Maybray was the only man to ome before Judge Fitz Gerald tosentence of three ays,

partment of commerce and labor to aid the upgrowth of children, Judge Lindsey of Denver said today he thought it a good thing. He sald such a bureau properly conducted could do much good in seeing a race of sturdy beings developed and much abuse of children could be eradi-cated.

Tacoma, April 12.—Discussing Rep-resentative Barnhart's congressional

bill for a "baby bureau" in the de-

BUREAU" A GOOD THING

LINDSEY SAYS "BABY

TO ATTACK JUAREZ

MADERO PREPARING

FLEE TO AMERICAN SOIL Banks and Custom Houses at Juare: Have Transferred All Their Coin to

El Paso-Madero Controls Rail-El Paso, April 12.-Expecting an

ftack of 2000 rebels under Madero the women and children are fleeing from Juarez to the American soll, Last night the banks and custom houses transferred all the coin to El Paso, while Navarro's force of 750 were busily engaged in entrenching. Madero is at Casas Grandes. He con- the preparation of the blanket free trols the railroad and can take his time to prepare an attack,

Madero Going to Juarez.

El Paso, Texas... April 12.-Further indication that Francisco I. Madero their responsibility and are awake to and his army of insurrectos are headthe realization that any reduction in out for Juarez, or at least are comthis tariff will mean the utter ruin ing north, is had in the fact that traffic on the Mexico Northwestern rall They admit, however, that northbound of the line, and that no more freight would be received for delivery at points south of Juarez,

Dr. Newby, an American, was captured by insurrectos in southwestern plain and finished, is included, Dear Sir: 4 The best authority from Durango, according to a report from that no power on earth can prevent though he had no instruments; then cation of resolutions for the admission

It is expected an attack will begin

IN IROQUOIS WRECK

Vancouver, B. C., April 12 .- Twenty-one are known to be dead as the result of the Iroquois wreck. Three the government.

to the minister of marine at Ottawa weeks ago. Mexican Iroquois wreck.

RECIPROCITY

Democratic Members Decide to Rush Consideration o Canadian Act

BIG MAJORITY FAVOR

PRESIDENT'S PLAN

In Caucus 129 Favors Measure With 29 Voting Against It-Caucus Will Be Held Soon to Determine the Attitude of Majority on Revision of Wool, Direct Election of Senators and Admission to Statehood of New Mexico and Arizona - Underwood Introduces Bill Embodying the Canadian Reciprocity Today.

Washington, April 12 .- The deciion by the house democrats to rush the consideration of the Canadian reciprocity was announced today following the caucus in which 129 voted to favor Taft's plan, with 29 against it. Following the reciprocity comes list which will generally embrace the necessaries of life. Another caucus will be held soon to determine the attitude of the majority on the revision of the wool and cotton sched-ules, the direct election of senators and the admission to statehood of New Mexico and Arizona,

Bills Are Introduced.

Representative Underwood of Alasama, chairman of the ways and neans committee, today bills embodying the Canadian deciprocity and the arrangements and free listing of the necessities of life. The bills were refered to the ways and means committee and they will probably report for consideration Friday.

Under the lumber paragraph on the free list all kinds of lumber.

The democrats in the house also decided that bills for the direct elec-

Rebels Burn Bridges Negales, Ariz., April 12 .- Three Cananea Yaqui River Pacific railroad vices. The bridges are located between Del Rio and the junction with the Cananea line just over the border.

BUSH TO BE PRESIDENT OF MISSOURI PACIFIC

New York, April 12 .- B. F. Bush president of the Western Maryland railroad it is learned from an official source, is to be elected president of the Missouri Pacific next week to succeed George Gould. The election will occur at a special meeting of the executive committee.

Indignation at San Diego.

San Diego, April 12 .- Much indigmore bodies were recovered last night. nation was caused here today by the Word from Ottawa today says that a fact that nothing but much corresstrict investigation will be held by pondence has been done toward the release of American women and chil-The Vancouver board of trade to- dren held by the insurrectos at Almo day forwarded a telegraphic demand since the capture of the town a few authorities demanding that an investigation of won't attack the town and are using the marine laws and heir enforcement the starvation system to compel the on the Pacific oast as a result of the insurrectos to leave. This policy is also starving the Americans.

MANY CANINES BREAK JAIL AT FAIR PAVILION YESTERDAY

diphtheria. Reulbach is now hurling run at a less. I believe we have noth- succeeded in finding a break in the see again for they have owners who in his oldtime form and Chance says ing to fear in presenting the true walls and signaling to his matter will keep them carefully concealed he expects to use him in at least fifty facts of our case, so be prepared to the way to freedom, and it was a until I leave the city. But I'll get a games, counting the pieces, this year, give accurate data as to cost of pro- motely array of dogflesh that dash-When Eart went back to his tem-

ing himself, he rushed to the pound the bed.

Harry Hart, catcher of unlicensed only to discover there had been an-

Hart is exhibiting a badly scratched face and hand this morning as a porary pound late in the afternoon, result of an encounter with another he found but four of his fouriegged prisoners remaining, Immediately he set out upon the trail of the jail consent of the man of the house to breakers and by eight o'clock had take the dog away. He says the lady recaptured eight of them. Thereup- had not been up long and was very on he retired to bed but was awaken- scantily attired, and that he judged day. He pleaded guilty to the charge ed about 9:30 by a series of joyous from the nature of her remarks that of being drunk and was given a [ail barks and yelps and, hurriedly dress-she had got up on the wrong side of