

GENERAL NOGI AND WIFE COMMIT HARI KARI IN STREETS OF TOKIO AT FUNERAL OF MIKADO

HERO OF PORT ARTHUR TESTIFIES BY OLD CUSTOM LOVE FOR DEAD

Sacrifice Came Before Eyes of Hundreds of Thousands of Japanese, Who, With Lighted Torches Lined Streets of Tokio—Deed Makes No Commotion and Evidently Expected.

TOKIO, Sept. 13.—Testifying according to the ancient custom of Nippon to his love and reverence for his dead emperor, Mutsuhito, whose funeral was held here this evening, General Baron Kiten Nogi, the hero of Port Arthur, and his wife committed hari kari in the public streets as they followed the coffin of the emperor to the public funeral services at the Aoyama parade grounds.

Nogi's sacrifice of his own life and that of his wife came before the eyes of hundreds of thousands of Japanese who, with torches lighted, lined the streets of Tokio behind a triple cordon of police and soldiers to see the dead ruler's body go by in state.

Not a Sound Heard

Not a sound was heard but the steady tramp, tramp, tramp of the 12,000 soldiers, nobles and officials of Japan and of the foreign dignitaries who made up the funeral procession when the tragedy occurred.

The dead general was marching in the funeral cortege with a number of other prominent soldiers of the empire, who were accompanied by their wives, many of them ladies in waiting in the mikado's court. Shortly before the section of the parade in which he marched reached the Aoyama parade grounds Nogi and his wife, without a word of warning, to their fellows, dismembered themselves according to the ancient rites of Japan and fell dying in the street.

Hero of Port Arthur

Not one of all the soldiers who fought and bled for Japan in the war with Russia won more glory than Nogi. Born in 1840 at Choshu, he fought as a captain in the civil war of 1877, which resulted in the downfall of the Shoguns and the elevation of the mikado to be emperor of united Japan.

In the China-Japanese war of 1895 Nogi again distinguished himself. Later he was governor general of Formosa in 1896, and on the outbreak of the Russo-Japanese war he was appointed commander of the third army, which invested and took Port Arthur. There for weeks Nogi lit

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MORE AUTOS FOR CRATER EXCURSION NEEDED AT ONCE

The first woman to respond to the call of the Commercial Club for autos to take the American Geographical Society excursion of foreign scientists to Crater Lake was Mrs. Edgar Hafer, who offered the use of her car. Mrs. W. T. Grieve offered to drive their auto, if Mr. Grieve found it impossible to go.

Over twenty cars have been secured but more are needed and must be signed up. The committee is confident that the requisite number will be forthcoming and urge that those with cars phone at once to President Colvig.

Three or four auto machinists and drivers have volunteered their services, so that if car owners cannot go they are assured their cars will be taken good care of.

Those who have proven themselves public spirited by offering cars up to noon today, in addition to the published list, are W. T. Grieve, R. Manning, J. W. Elden, W. C. Leever of Central Point, Mrs. Edgar Hafer, Hubbard Bros., L. Neidermeyer and E. Slaty.

Japanese Capital Thronged With Spectators—Fourteen Thousand March in Funeral Procession—Picturesque Ceremonies Mark the Event at Which All Nations Are Represented.

TOKIO, Japan, Sept. 13.—Passing in magnificence through the silent ranks of hundreds of thousands of the subjects who in life honored him as a God the body of the late Emperor Mutsuhito of Japan was borne this evening through the deserted streets of Tokio for his public funeral services at the Aoyama parade ground. The actual burial of the late ruler will be held tomorrow at Monoyama, near Kioto, where lie the ashes of Emperor Kwammu, Mikado of a thousand years ago.

More than 2,000,000 people saw the last public honors paid to the Japanese Emperor who saw his country emerge from semi-barbarism to become one of the leading powers of the world. Massed by hundreds of thousands they stood as the splendid cortege wound through the capital city while evening fell, closed doors and windows hermetically sealed behind them, while over the smart military uniforms of New Japan and the flowing silks of an old r day flared thousands of torches in the hands of soldiers who formed a solid avenue of flame from the palace gates to the palace of ceremony.

Amnesty is Granted

Through the whole day Tokio was thronged with spectators of the ceremony from the whole empire, and the streets were gay with color, no black being worn as a sign of mourning. The principal official event of the day was the proclamation of amnesty by Emperor Yoshihito to political offenders, in which, however, those members of the anarchist band of Denjiro Kotoku still held in prison were not included.

The only serious accident of the day was the collapse of a hall at Meiji University. The hall was crowded with students engaged in worshipping the spirit of the dead Mikado, and so great was the crush that the whole hall collapsed and more than 100 students were injured in the wreck.

Funeral Ceremony

It was nearly ten o'clock when the funeral services began in solemn silence. Holy offerings and multi-colored silks and brocades were laid before the coffin while the Shinto priests chanted mournfully. Then the grand master of the ceremony read from the Shinto burial ritual and the Emperor, the Empress and the Empress Dowager, leaving their attendants, each advanced singly to the coffin and offered prayer. They were followed by the princes and princesses of the blood on the conclusion of those supplications the whole body of royalty retired.

STARTS FIRE WITH OIL; BADLY BURNED

Mrs. A. D. Anderson was severely burned in a fire which destroyed her home in the Climax district early Friday morning. The blaze started when she attempted to start a fire in the kitchen stove by the use of kerosene oil. Only her presence of mind in smothering the flames which enveloped her with a heavy blanket saved her life. Seeing that the flames were beyond control she rushed into a bedroom and hurried her two young children to a place of safety. She succeeded in saving a portion of the furniture.

Her husband is at Portland on a short business trip. He has been summoned by telegraph. Meanwhile neighbors have made a home for her.



GENERAL NOGI.

GIBSON ASSERTS DROWNED WOMAN WAS NOT COUNTESS

MIDDLETON, N. Y., Sept. 13.—Self reliant, confident and showing no outward sign of apprehension following his arrest on the charge of having murdered Countess Rosa Szabo, Attorney Burton Gibson awoke this morning greatly refreshed after a sound night's sleep. He was taken to a hotel for breakfast and after a hearty meal said he was well satisfied with the situation as it stands today.

Gibson, who will act as his own counsel until the prosecution shows its hand, believes he has opened a vital flaw in the state's case by his startling statement that the woman who perished while boating with him on Greenwood Lake is not the Rosa Szabo, whose mother died in Austria two years ago and whose brother is en route to America to assist the prosecution.

The authorities answered this statement by asserting that Gibson is trying to complicate the case, but that such efforts would fail. When Gibson was arraigned he asked for an immediate hearing, but proceedings were postponed until September 24.

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MOTHER COMES TO BURY BODY PUGILIST'S WIFE

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Mother love today prompted Mrs. David Terry of Brooklyn, N. Y., to come to Chicago and arrange for the burial of her daughter, Mrs. Etta Dur-yea Johnson, the white wife of Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist. Mrs. Johnson, ostracised by the members of her own family and former friends, ended her life because she was lonely.

Mrs. Terry and another daughter, Elaine, both attired in deep mourning and heavily veiled, were met at the depot by Johnson. He took them to his home, where the body lay, surrounded by negro women.

"I believe my daughter was insane," said Mrs. Terry. "She was severely injured when but a girl, and frequently showed symptoms of insanity. I am convinced that brooding over the ostracism which followed her horrible mistake in marrying a negro prompted the suicide."

Mrs. Terry refused to say whether the body would be buried in the family plot in Brooklyn.

WALDO SCORNS TO ASK IMMUNITY COIN RULING FACTOR IN STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Frequent clashes between Police Commissioner Waldo and Attorney Buckner marked the aldermanic hearing today into the alleged corruption of New York's police force. Beginning with his appointment, Waldo, who was the star witness of the day, traced his connection with the department at great length.

Buckner and Waldo clashed at the very start. Waldo flew into a rage when the attorney asked him if he would claim immunity through the testimony he proposed giving.

"What do you mean?" he shouted at Buckner. Buckner, however, pressed his question and Waldo said that he claimed nothing for his testimony. Waldo choked with rage. "I think your reference is a gratuitous insult," he shouted. "I came here to help the committee and to tell all I know about the police department. Your question is an insult."

Commissioner Waldo was cheered both when he entered and when he left the committee room.

ATTACK UPON MEXICO CITY HEADED OFF

Transference of Federals to Sonora Prevents Orozco From Effecting Junction With Southern Insurrectos—Madero Notified by U. S.

Attack Upon Agua Prieta by Rojas and Rebela Band Is Abandoned—Army Moves South.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—By transferring the Mexican federals across American soil to the state of Sonora, the hotbed of the Orozco revolution, President Francis I. Madero has prevented Mexican rebels operating in the north from mobilizing with those active in the south, and this has staved off the threatened attack on Mexico City, according to dispatches received by the war department today. The southern progress of General Pascual Orozco, the rebel chieftain, and General Inez Salazar, his chief lieutenant, who had planned to consolidate with the forces of General Zapata in a concerted attack on the capital, has been blocked.

Madero is Warned

Henry L. Wilson, United States ambassador at Mexico City, was instructed today to inform President Madero that he would be held responsible for any damage inflicted on American life or property at Douglas, Ariz., directly across the border from Agua Prieta, where Mexican federals and rebels are reported locked in the most stubbornly fought battle of the revolution.

Madero is seriously hampered in his efforts to protect Americans along the border by lack of troops. Ambassador Wilson reports that Madero believes it necessary to keep a strong guard at the capital, as he fears an attack by rebels from the south is likely to come at any time. All available government troops are now at the border, but Madero, it is expected, will be forced to issue a call for additional volunteers if rebel depredations continue.

Prejudice Against Negroes

Reports received here today from General E. Z. Steever, commanding the United States forces at El Paso, say that considerable racial prejudice prevails against the negroes of the Ninth infantry sent to assist in maintaining order. He said the residents of the Texas cities where the negro troops are stationed object to their presence.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Sept. 13.—Apparently abandoning his intention to attack Agua Prieta, Colonel Antonio Rojas and his 1400 rebels marched southward from Cenis Springs at noon today. It is believed that they are moving to El Tigre to join General Inez Salazar, whose attack on that camp is reported to have begun.

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GIRL IS GIVEN TAR, FEATHERS BY OWN SEX

Three Women Dressed as Men Seize Eighteen-Year-Old Girl, Strip Her of Clothing and Apply Coat of Tar and Feathers.

Had Been Warned to Leave Village, But Had Returned—Has Now Gone for Good.

NORWALK, Conn., Sept. 13.—After receiving a coat of tar and feathers, administered by three women at Clarksville, near here, disguised as men, an eighteen-year-old girl who had been warned to leave town departed today, accompanied by her sister. The women stripped the girl of all her clothing and after a terrific struggle laid on the tar.

The authorities declare they will not investigate the case, as they had also warned the girl to leave.

Before the inhabitants of the town became certain that the girls had left town, a hundred women stoned the house where their father resided.

Concerted indignation against the presence of the two girls became apparent two weeks ago when the authorities were asked to take a nineteen-year-old sister from the house and place her in a charitable institution. To prevent this, the girl victim of the tarring promised to leave town, and did so, but returned several days ago. The women of the town then took up the matter. They kept a kettle of tar ready in the woods and waited three nights for their victim.

When the girl was caught last night the women dragged her to the kettle.

Crazed by the torture, the girl promised to leave town, never to return.

TEDDY TALKS TO IDAHO COWBOYS SCHOOL HOUSES

POCATELLO, Idaho, Sept. 13.—At Blackfoot, Idaho, Colonel Roosevelt today discovered a sister of the "best man ever appointed on the New York police force," according to his own description.

Speaking to 2500 school children and cowpunchers at the Blackfoot fair, the colonel was declaring that "all this talk of being dictator came from Wall street."

"That's where they need one, too," a man shouted.

"Precisely," the candidate added. "I want you to know whom I am," the woman said. "I'm Otta Raphael's sister."

"By George! Is that so?" Roosevelt yelled. "Why, he's the best policeman I ever appointed on the New York police force. I heard of a gallant rescue he had made, taking some women and children from a burning building, and I said that he would make a splendid policeman."

It was on the question of greater utilization of schoolhouses for "neighborhood purposes" that Roosevelt devoted his speech. "Social gatherings, mothers' meetings and all such similar assemblies should be held in the school house," he said. "The polling booth should be there and it is the place for political meetings."

FAMILY IS MURDERED NEAR COUNCIL BLUFFS

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Sept. 13.—Martin Thompson, his wife and infant son were found murdered today in their home southwest of here. The heads of the victims were crushed, evidently while they slept. There is no clue to the assassin.

Manager Harry Wolverton of the New York Highlanders picks the Red Sox as the coming world's champions.

DIX CANDIDACY REPUDIATED BY PARTY LEADER

Woodrow Wilson Refuses to Stand for Nomination of Any Reactionary for Governor of New York—Declines to Have Picture Taken

Tammany Chief to Have Hard Fight to Control Convention—Bryan to Meet Wilson at Lincoln.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The first meeting between Governor Woodrow Wilson, the democratic candidate for president, and William J. Bryan since the fight for the November election started, will take place at Lincoln, Neb., October 5, according to announcement at democratic national headquarters here today. The two leaders will address a big gathering at Lincoln on that date.

Governor Wilson will go to Lincoln from Indianapolis, where on October 3, he is to address the delegates to the conservation congress. He may speak in Omaha and Des Moines on the trip, but this has not been definitely settled.

The democratic candidate will return to Sea Girt, N. J., satisfied with the result of his visit to Syracuse. Although he declined to make a statement, there is no question but that he is satisfied with his position regarding the re-nomination of Governor Dix of New York, or the naming of any other reactionary democrat. When he refused to have his picture taken with Governor Dix and Charles F. Murphy, he made it plain that he did not intend to permit them to claim his endorsement. Governor Wilson followed this up with a plain speech, in which he warned the democratic leaders that the people were tired of politics as it has been played in New York.

It is generally believed here today that Murphy will have the time of his life to retain control of the convention in October. While it is not believed that Wilson will interfere with the convention, it is understood that if a reactionary ticket is named he will refuse to recognize it and openly repudiate Murphy.

RUSTLERS AGAIN ARE BUSY OVER ON APPLGATE

The loss of several head of cattle in the Applegate section has again led the ranchers of that vicinity to form a vigilante society and if one of the rustlers fall into their hands it is certain to go hard with him. The ranchers are much incensed owing to frequent losses of cattle which have extended over a number of months past.

On Tuesday night of this week D. S. Ames is said to have lost five head of beefs. Other losses of one or two beefs at a time have been reported and the ranchers have decided that it is about time the thievery is checked.

Several months ago the ranchers of that vicinity banded together to stop cattle rustling and for a time the rustlers were evidently scared out, for the daily shortage of cattle on the range ceased. It is said to have started and the ranchers are determined this time to put an end to the matter for all time. It is believed that the rustlers segregate the cattle and after securing a fairly large band they drive them over the California line and dispose of them in Siskiyou county to San Francisco cattle buyers.

INCREASE IN FREIGHT RATES ON NEWS IS SUSPENDED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The interstate commerce commission here today suspended until January 11 the proposed increases in freight rates on news print paper from Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., to the United States.