

ROCKEFELLER'S ARREST SOUGHT BY UNCLE SAM

Oil King Bars the Door Against Subpoena Servers and Congress Threatens to Issue Warrant and Batter Down Palace Doors.

House Leaders in Conference Devising Ways and Means of Handling Situation.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Sergeant At-Arms Riddell of the national house of representatives and his deputies today are waiting until the house empowers them to batter down the doors to the residence here of William G. Rockefeller, the Standard Oil magnate, and serve him with a subpoena to appear before the house money trust investigating committee.

"The time has come," said Riddell "when open defiance of the people of the country must stop."

"With a warrant in my possession all the sneering flunkies and other hangers-on of Rockefeller will not stop me from searching any place I think he may be hiding. When I get the warrant I will not give Rockefeller more than fifteen minutes to say he is ready to accompany me. I will search his Fifth avenue home first."

Discussing Riddell's efforts to serve the subpoena one of Rockefeller's millionaire friends said today: "It is frightful to think that a man of Mr. Rockefeller's importance should be so annoyed. All this notoriety puts him in a wrong light and caused cranks to annoy him. Rockefeller merely believes his testimony would not be valuable and feels his health will not permit him to go to Washington."

The homes of both John D. Rockefeller, senior, and John D. Rockefeller, junior, were watched today by Riddell's deputies. It was reported that William Rockefeller had sought refuge in one of them.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—House leaders conferred here informally and secretly today regarding the proposed arrest of William Rockefeller for evasion of a subpoena to testify before the Pajo money trust investigating committee.

House Clerk Jerry South suggested that Chairman Pajo request the house judiciary committee to report a resolution citing Rockefeller's alleged evasion of service and authorizing his arrest. Then he would have the resolution referred to the rules committee and reported under a special rule to expedite action by the house.

Discussing the Rockefeller case, Parliamentarian Crisp stated that an examination of precedents failed to disclose a similar situation in the

TVEITMOE PEELS POTATOES TODAY FEDERAL PRISON

FORT LEAVENWORTH, Kans., Jan. 2.—Olat Tveitmoe of San Francisco, one of the thirty-three union men convicted of conspiracy unlawfully to transport explosives, peeled potatoes today in the kitchen of the federal prison here, where he is serving a six years sentence.

Herbert S. Hoekin, who is alleged to have furnished Detective William J. Burns with the information which led to the arrest of the McNamara brothers and also the indictment against the men convicted at Indianapolis stood a few feet away from Tveitmoe washing dishes.

Deputy Warden Mackey this afternoon assigned twenty-two of the other dynamiters to prison tasks. Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers, was sent to the carpenter shop and Peter J. Smith was assigned work beside him.

Colorado Legislature Meets

DENVER, Col., Jan. 2.—With the democrats overwhelmingly in control of both branches, the state legislature convened here at noon today.

Defies Might of Uncle Sam



WILLIAM ROCKEFELLER

DECLARE TURKEY SPARS FOR TIME AS FOLORN HOPE

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Flat and final rejection of the Turkish proposal that the status of Adrianople shall be settled between Turkey and Bulgaria alone is expected here when the envoys trying to arrange a peaceful settlement of the Balkan war reconvene.

Ambassadorial "conversations" on the apparent Balkan deadlock were resumed at the foreign office today. It is understood that Bulgaria has informed the ambassadors of the powers that the Balkan allies made war on bloc, and that peace also will be concluded en bloc.

Dr. Danoff, it is said, has declared that Bulgaria will undertake no separate negotiations with Turkey on any point, but that the terms of peace when arranged must cover all questions between Turkey and all of the Balkan states.

Optimists here insist that peace finally will be arranged without trouble. Turkey, they declare, is sparing for time, but when delay will no longer serve, the Porte will make all necessary concessions.

After adjournment the Turks wired Constantinople for fresh instructions. This was considered necessary because of the insistence of the Greek envoys for the cession of Crete and the Aegean Isles, which was refused.

Sir Edward Grey, British foreign minister, presided at the conference of ambassadors on the Balkan-Turkish question this afternoon.

TAFT PARDONS LAND SWINDLERS

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 2.—Word was received from Washington that President Taft granted an absolute pardon to H. H. Hendricks of Fossil, Oregon, jailed with Franklin Pierce Mays, Willard N. Jones and others in connection with the land fraud cases prosecuted in this state by Francis J. Heney and William J. Burns seven years ago.

Details of the pardon are lacking but it is supposed it was granted on the same grounds upon which pardon of other members of the alleged fraud ring were granted by the president. Practically every citizen of Fossil signed the petition to President Taft requesting Hendricks' pardon.

WORLD'S OLDEST NEWSBOY PASSES AWAY AT JOLIET

JOLIET, Ill., Jan. 2.—Orrsumne Paige, oldest newsboy in the world, is dead at his home here today, aged 105 years. He sold papers up to a few days ago, when he was suddenly taken ill.

CASTRO LANDS FOR AN HOUR ON AMERICAN SOIL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Technical "admission" of Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, to American soil for an hour or two to avoid international complications with France, is the announced plan here today of Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel.

Castro will be permitted to go to New York Saturday, remaining there merely long enough to sail on the German liner Amerika for Hamburg. Instead of for Havre on the French steamer La Touraine, on which he came from Europe. Since his arrival on the La Touraine, Castro has been held at Ellis Island on technical grounds to allow the federal authorities here time to arrange for his deportation.

Under the immigration statutes, the steamship bringing an undesirable citizen to the United States is responsible for his departure. It was stated, however, that if Castro were returned to France, the French government probably would object to his landing and insist upon his return to the United States.

As Castro has expressed a desire to go to Germany, Secretary Nagel hopes to avoid an international tangle by permitting him to sail for Hamburg Saturday.

BANKER SHOTS WIFE THEN SHOTS SELF

BELLSPOUT, N. Y., Jan. 2.—Following a reconciliation by some six weeks, Henry C. Edey, a wealthy retired Wall Street broker, shot and killed his young wife in their home on Great South Bay early today and then blew out his brains. Mrs. Edey, who was twelve years younger than her husband, left him last summer.

WHERE KING GEORGE DISTRIBUTES PRESENTS ON NEW YEAR'S.



SANDRINGHAM HOUSE

In the face of announcements from Sandringham that King George had recovered from the influenza which attacked him on the train from London, the Daily Express spread the report that the sovereign was ill in bed at York Cottage.

It was feared for a while that the King would be unable to oversee the distribution of gifts from the great Christmas tree at Sandringham House on New Year's.

BOISE EDITORS SENT TO PRISON BY IDAHO COURT

Newspaper Men Who Printed Roosevelt's Roast of Supreme Court Given Ten Days in Jail and \$500 Fines Apiece for Contempt.

Freedom of Press Suspended When Supreme Court is Subject of Criticism.

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 2.—R. S. Sheridan, publisher and C. O. Broxon, editor of the Daily Capital-News were today each sentenced to serve ten days in jail and pay a fine of \$500 by the state supreme court on a charge of contempt.

A. B. Crozen, indicted with Sheridan and Broxon as a stockholder in the paper, was given a like sentence. Associate Justice Aislee dissented in all three sentences, but otherwise the decision was unanimous. No appeal can be entered.

The three men were indicted for publishing a statement from Theodore Roosevelt in which the progressive leader condemned the action of the state supreme court in not allowing progressive electors on the November 5 ballot on the basis that the party had not yet been recognized to an extent sufficient to make it figure in an Idaho state election.

The News followed up this statement with editorial comment and the three sentenced today were promptly cited for contempt. They filed demurrers, which were overruled, and the sentences followed.

The convicted men were taken at once to the Ada county jail where they began their sentences this afternoon. Justice Aislee gave a separate opinion in which he took exception to nearly every point put forward by the court. The sentencing decision was written by Justice Sullivan and concurred in by Chief Justice Stewart.

DISCOVER THIEF WHO STOLE \$35,000 JEWELS

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—First announcement of the theft of \$35,000 worth of jewelry two months ago from the apartments here of Simeon Crittenden, an attorney, today followed a telegram from Los Angeles announcing the arrest there of C. H. Rosenthal, alias Rogers. News of the theft was suppressed by the police.

WOMAN GIVES BIRTH TO FIVE CHILDREN

ABBEVILLE, La., Jan. 2.—Giving birth to five male children at one time, all of them perfectly formed and the largest weighing five pounds, is the remarkable record of Mrs. Audrey Lassen, wife of a local carpenter. All the babies are dead today. Two of them were stillborn and the other three died within an hour after birth.

Mrs. Lassen, who weighs 200 pounds, already had three children, two of them twins, born two years ago.

Taft's Choice for Governor of Panama



COL. GEORGE W. GOETHALS

M'CARTY'S WIFE KITCHEN HELPER IN SMALL HASH SHOP

MOORHEAD, Minn., Jan. 2.—"Yes, I am the wife of Luther McCarty," said a pleasant faced blonde girl of about 21 years, here today when interviewed in Howard's Cafe, where she is working as a kitchen helper. And then she gave her history and some of that of the big fighter, whose defeat of Al Pitzer in Los Angeles yesterday brought him fame and fortune.

"I came here last year," said Mrs. McCarty, "and had 'Lu' arrested for failure to support me and our baby girl. He promised to be good and I dropped the suit, but he was so infested with the pugilistic bug that he would not go to work and skipped out for Chicago."

"'Lu' and I were married in Sidney, Ohio, in May, 1908, when I was sixteen years of age. Both of our parents live there, though Luther was born in Nebraska. He will be twenty-one years old March 17, next."

"Luther has sent me a little money at times, but I guess things were not coming good, and he stopped writing last May. After his fight with Flynn three weeks ago he sent me a considerable sum. I confidently expect now that he will send for me. I had a letter from his father this morning and will leave Sunday for Sidney, Ohio, our old home."

OREGON SHORT LINE BUYS IDAHO NORTHERN

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 2.—The Idaho Northern railroad, with lines from Tampa to Murphy and Emmett, is today purchased by the Oregon Short Line. The consideration is said to be \$1,000,000.

It is reported the line will be extended through the state, giving Idaho her first cross-state line.

PLAN TO APPOINT GOETHALS GOV'NOR FREE OF POLITICS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Before President Taft nominates Colonel Goethals as civil governor of the Panama Canal zone, he intends to assure himself that the senate will confirm the nomination. With this end in view, the president started today a personal investigation of the report that democratic senators regarded the possible nomination of Goethals as a political move and intended to reject it.

President Taft is admittedly angry over the report, believing that this recognition is due Colonel Goethals, and that for the senate to act adversely would be subjecting Goethals to unjustifiable humiliation.

The president insists there is no politics in this plan, and that it would merely be honoring Colonel Goethals for his work on the canal.

When asked today concerning a report that he intended to resign before the canal is opened, Colonel Goethals said:

"It is probable. I am not a cavalier, but an engineer. I do not care for the blare of trumpets and the tinsel shows that will be connected with the opening ceremonies. I only desire to finish the work, and when the canal is completed I will be ready to let someone else take the part of master of ceremonies."

WEST'S NEW YEARS RECEPTION A SUCCESS

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 2.—Thousands of Oregon citizens are today congratulating themselves upon having been able to meet Governor and Mrs. West and several former governors and their wives at a monster New Year's day reception in the capitol building. The receiving line was formed in the governor's private offices which were decorated with elegant poinsettias, ferns and ivy and a formed a veritable bower. An orchestra, hidden behind a well of blossoms in the rotunda on the second floor, played constantly, while the guests assembled in the rotunda and assembly chamber.

A feature was an address by Judge Moreland, chief justice of the supreme court of the state.

HIGHEST SALARIED WOMAN WEDS THEATRICAL MAN

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Tired of the distinction of being the highest salaried woman in the United States, Miss Stella Kinney resigned her \$15,000 position as buyer for a large New York department store, and is here today, the wife of T. Jeff White, a Los Angeles theatrical man.

After a ten days' honeymoon here, the couple will tour Europe.

SENATE HEARS LAST CROAK OF TEXAS BAILEY

Crowded Galleries Hear Swan Song of Senator Against Initiative and Referendum and Popular Government—Boasts for Old System.

Says Framers of Constitution Rejected Monarchy, Aristocracy and Direct Democracy Wisely.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Joseph W. Bailey of Texas delivered today his last political "croak" as a member of the United States senate before crowded galleries. It was a bitter denunciation of the initiative and referendum laws which he characterized as "repugnant to the principles upon which the American republic is founded."

Bailey's formal resignation from the senate, of which he has been a member since 1901, will be submitted to the governor of Texas before the expiration of his term on March 4. Recognizing that today's effort probably would be the Texas' last speech before his retirement to private life, nearly every member of the senate was in his seat when Bailey started speaking.

Reads Many Letters

Bailey declared that the framers of the constitution upon which our government is founded never contemplated direct government, maintaining that government as outlined by the constitution convention of 1787 was better than any initiative and referendum laws could establish.

Apologizing for the lengthy reading of letters and speeches made by delegates to the 1787 convention which framed the constitution, Bailey said:

"I am striving to reach those outside the senate, and as many of them have been trained by the yellow journals, and will doubt whatever I may say, I feel constrained to read into the record conclusive evidence that, with the full knowledge of the different kinds of government before them, our fathers rejected monarchy, aristocracy and direct democracy and wisely chose representative democracy."

Quotes Jefferson

In support of his position, Bailey quoted freely from the writings of Thomas Jefferson.

"Yes," said Bailey with fine sarcasm, "even a 'reactionary Tory' may quote Jefferson, providing he has kept his record as a 'reactionary Tory' unspiced as I have done."

Here Bailey received a tray covered by a napkin.

"Yellow journals," he shouted, "will say this is some simulant, but I desire to explain that it is only coffee."

Government at Stake

Bailey declared that the form of government of the republic is at stake, and then quoted from the writings of Woodrow Wilson to show that the president-elect believes representative democracy is better than direct

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POWDER TRUST TAKES FIRST STEP FOR DISSOLUTION

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 2.—The Dupont Powder Company, called the "powder trust," took its step here today to comply with the dissolution order handed down last June by the United States district court at Wilmington, Del.

Under the re-organization plan, the Dupont Powder Company of California goes out of existence, the Hercules Powder company, with general offices here, taking over the eleven plants formerly controlled by the trust.

At the same time a second new corporation—the Atlas Powder company—begins its existence in the Northwest, with offices in Tacoma. The president of the latter concern will be W. J. Webster, former general sales agent of the Dupont, with headquarters in Tacoma.