

More Vain Rumors As to Whereabouts Of Miss Arnold

One Report Had it That She Had Returned Home, Another That She Was in New York Hospital—Both Are Flatly Denied.

Attorney of Arnold Family Says Only Logical Conclusion is That Missing Girl is Dead—Young Griscom's Statements.

New York, Feb. 15.—The search for the Dorothy Arnold developed a painful crop of rumors today, several of which were to the effect that the mystery of her disappearance had been solved in this city.

Both reports were apparently without foundation. Miss Marjorie Arnold, sister of the missing girl, denied emphatically that her sister had been found or was known to be in or near New York.

She is even near her home I know nothing of it," he said. "I spoke with members of her family there less than two minutes ago and they told me they knew nothing fresh in the case."

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Report on Price Paid For Cotton

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 15.—American manufacturers paid an average price of 14.3 cents per pound for American upland cotton and 3.2 cents for linters during the year which ended August 31, 1910, according to the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture.

TAYLOR WANTS HARMONY IN TENNESSEE

By Associated Press. Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 15.—Senator Robert L. Taylor who was defeated for governor of Tennessee by Captain Ben W. Hooper, republican, in the November election, pleads for democratic harmony in this state.

MRS. HAYES SENT TO JAIL WITHOUT BAIL

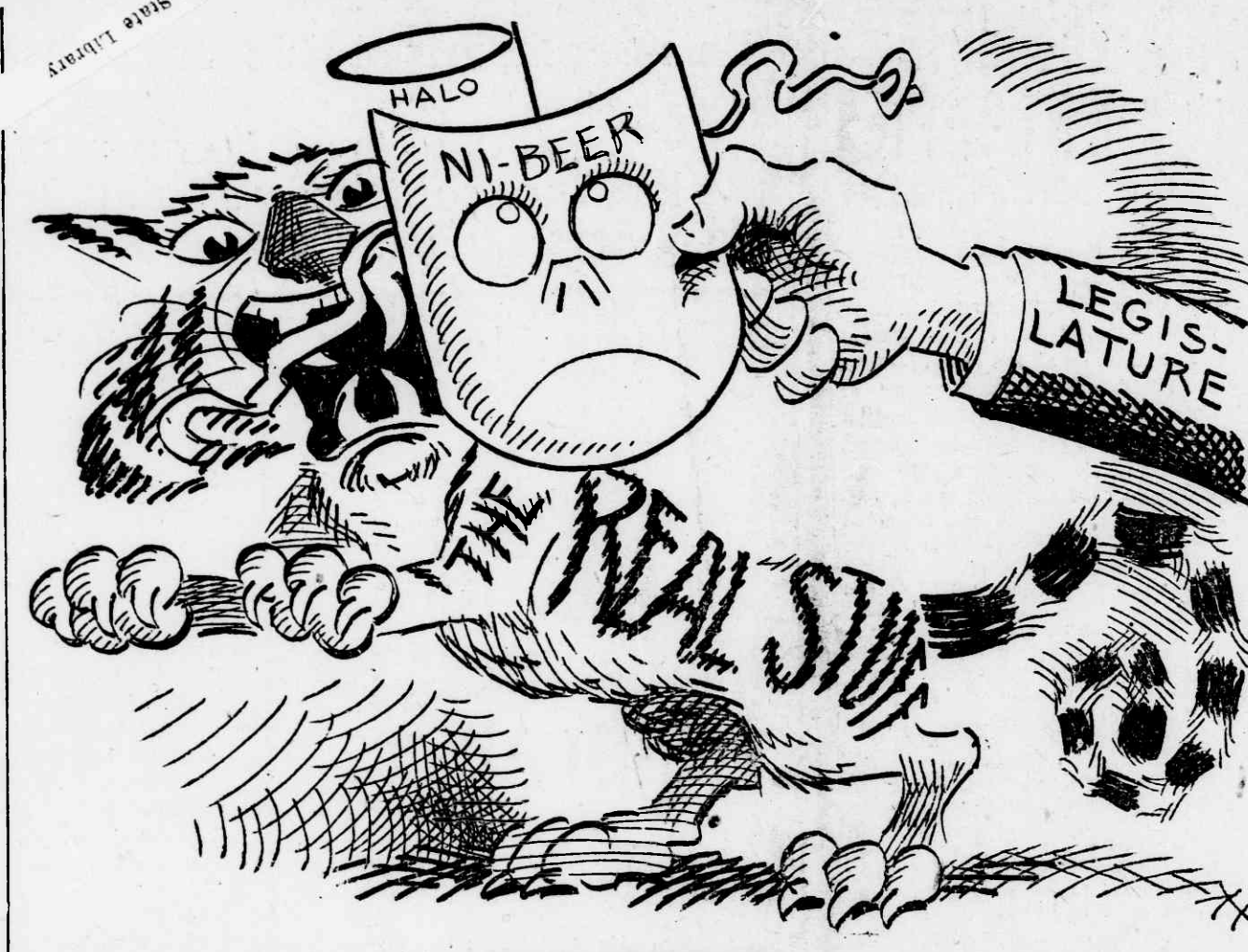
By Associated Press. Whiteville, N. C., Feb. 15.—Mrs. Rosa Hayes was yesterday remanded to jail without bail and Neal M. and Lloyd Hayes were placed under bonds of \$1,000 each at a preliminary hearing given the three defendants who are charged with killing Robert M. Floyd, a young medical student of Charleston Medical College on February 4, at Tabor, N. C.

NATHAN MONTAGUE CONFESSES BLACK CRIMES

By Associated Press. Raleigh, Feb. 15.—Nathan Montague, the negro who killed J. L. Sanders, Irene Overton, Sadler Sanders, daughter of Miss Mattie Sanders, Sanders' daughter, whom he assaulted, setting fire to their home in Granville county last December in order to conceal his crime, and who was electrocuted here at the state prison today, made a full confession yesterday.

Sam Wylie Ends Life

Chester, S. C., Feb. 15.—Sam Wylie, aged 62, a well known man in this section committed suicide yesterday, shooting himself through the right eye. Wylie had been suffering from an incurable disease and this he supposed to have been the reason for his suicide.



PULLING HIS MASK OFF I

A FEW MORE TEETH FOR ANTI-TRUST LAW

Special to The News. Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 15.—Mr. Turlington, of Iredell, introduced in the house today an anti-trust bill, designed to represent the views of the democratic members of the legislature who are not satisfied with the present anti-trust act.

Senators Session Of Pan-American Conference

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Feb. 15.—The relationship of the Panama canal to the commerce of the world was the chief topic scheduled for discussion at today's session of the Pan-American Commercial Conference.

Situation in Mexico

By Associated Press. Presidio, Texas, Feb. 12, via Marfa, Texas, Feb. 15.—A scouting party of insurgents under Emilio Salado has captured seven wagons loaded with provisions and ammunition intended for the Federal garrison at Ojinaga.

Lady Holds Big Position

By Associated Press. Davenport, Iowa, Feb. 15.—Miss Daisy Odell, for several years chief clerk of the Davenport passenger office of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, has been appointed division passenger agent, the first woman so far as local railway men know to occupy a position in the United States.

Insurance Men to Meet

By Associated Press. Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 15.—The meeting of the association of Southern Fire and Marine Insurance Companies which was to have been held here today has been postponed until February 22.

Self-Government for Ireland

By Associated Press. London, Feb. 15.—During the preliminary home rule debate in the house of commons today Premier Asquith reiterated his declaration that the government's first task after the veto bill had been disposed of would be to carry out a policy of full self government for Ireland.

SENATE TAKES UP RECIPROCITY TREATY TO-DAY

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 15.—Reciprocity with Canada, which today became the principal question before the senate, is believed to depend on whether the opposition will resort to filibustering to defeat it.

DECISION ON BIG THREAD COMPANY

By Associated Press. London, Feb. 15.—Justice Hamilton, sitting in the Kings Bench division of the high court of justice today rendered a decision that the American Thread Company, incorporated under the laws of New Jersey, was liable to an income tax assessment in this country on profits amounting to \$900,000.

England Takes Up Reciprocity Proposition

By Associated Press. London, Feb. 15.—The American-Canadian reciprocity agreement came to the fore in the house of commons again today. The government was questioned regarding the statement attributed to Henri Bourassa, nationalist leader in the legislature of Quebec, to the effect that the home government had encouraged the Canadian government to conclude a reciprocity trade understanding with the United States.

President Signs San Francisco Bill

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 15.—President Taft today signed the bill designating San Francisco as the city in which will be held in 1915 the exposition to celebrate the opening of the Panama canal.

MR. REAL ESTATE MAN

Don't overlook the Legal Sales of some valuable City and County Property advertised on page six today. It will pay you to watch The News advertisements columns daily. (Keep Your Eyes on The Want Ad Page 8.)

HAS NO THOUGHT OF ANNEXING CANADA

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Feb. 15.—President Taft today, to some of his congressional callers, expressed astonishment that Representative Clark should have injected into the reciprocity question in the house yesterday any thought about the annexation of Canada.

Voting at Albany

By Associated Press. Albany, N. Y., Feb. 15.—The monotony of the daily joint ballot for United States senator was varied today when Senator Franklin D. Roosevelt, the insurgent leader, and several of his followers deserted Edward M. Shepard and cast their votes for John D. Kernan, of Utica.

Fruit Trees Blooming

By Associated Press. Macon, Ga., Feb. 15.—A freeze would totally destroy the Georgia fruit crop. Everywhere in this section the trees are in full bloom, and the orchard owners are very uneasy over the next change in the weather.

Cardinal Gibbons Appointed

By Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 15.—Cardinal Gibbons was today appointed by President Taft to be a member of the board of Indian commissioners in place of the late Archbishop Ryan.

Would Reduce Tax Assessment On City Auditorium

FARM ANIMALS SHOW INCREASE IN VALUE NOW

By Associated Press. Washington, D. C., Feb. 15.—All farm animals excepting sheep showed an increase in average value per head on January 1 last, compared with their value on that date in 1910 according to the department of agriculture. Horses showed the greatest increase in value. Values of other animals were: Horses \$11.67, an increase of \$3.48; milch cows \$40.49, an increase of \$4.70; Sheep \$1.74, a decrease of 35 cents, and swine \$9.35, an increase of 21 cents.

Miss Leneve was Not On Board

By Associated Press. Halifax, N. S., Feb. 15.—A thorough search of the steamer Royal Edward which arrived yesterday from Bristol, Eng., failed to disclose any trace of Miss Ethel Clara Leneve, the young woman who fled last summer to Canada with Dr. Hawley H. Crippen, the American dentist who was later hanged in London for the murder of his wife, Belle Elmore. It had been reported that a young woman resembling Miss Leneve had boarded the steamer at Bristol, bound for the Canadian Northwest to meet a prospective husband.

ENAMELING OF BATH TUBS CAUSES SUIT

By Associated Press. Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 15.—The merits of enameling bath tubs by hand and later by special machinery, were brought out in the hearing of the government against the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company, of this city, and 15 other concerns, at the second day's session of the investigation as to whether the enameling was firms of the country engaged in a conspiracy in restraint of interstate trade.

Father Kills Son

By Associated Press. Spartanburg, S. C., Feb. 15.—William M. Lanford shot and killed his son, W. D. Lanford, this morning at the former's home near Woodruff. The son had quarreled with his father and announced his intention of moving to an adjoining farm.

Not Identified Yet

By Associated Press. Idabel, Okla., Feb. 15.—An erroneous report was sent here yesterday that Detective Brown, of San Francisco, had identified a prisoner here as a suspect in the Los Angeles Times dynamiting case.

Funeral of Arch Bishop Ryan

By Associated Press. Philadelphia, Feb. 15.—Robed in full pontifical vestments of purple, the body of Archbishop Ryan, enclosed in a handsome casket, was placed today on a raised platform in front of the high altar of the Roman Catholic Cathedral, there to lie in state until the funeral tomorrow.

Senate Passes Bill Regarding Tax on Charlotte Building—In House Speaker Dowd Introduces Bill Providing For Widows Home.

Committee Appointed to Confer on Amendment to Near Beer Bill—Fire Insurance Question Comes Up—Unfavorable Report on Koonce Bill.

Special to The News. Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 15.—The senate passed a bill to authorize the commissioners of Mecklenburg to reduce the tax assessment on the Charlotte Auditorium for 1908, 1909, 1910.

Speaker Dowd introduced a bill to establish a home for widows in Mecklenburg and establish a reform and training school for colored youths. The house refused to concur in the senate amendment to the near-beer bill and Speaker Dowd appoints Messrs. Hoffer, Gates and Kent as a conference committee.

The Senatorial bill to pay sheriffs and prosecutors \$20 to \$40 for distilleries convicted are voted down. An unsuccessful effort was made to suspend the rules and pass the Hoko county bill on final reading.

Mr. Devin introduced a bill to create a North Carolina insurance commission. A bill by Doughton would appoint county auditors.

The house received an unfavorable report from the propositions and grievance committee on the Koonce bill for a legislation commission to investigate the conduct of fire insurance companies. A minority favorable report by Koonce was presented and the measure set as a special order for Monday night, February 20th.

The senate failed to reach a vote on the Hayden bill for a million dollar fire proof state administration building after nearly three hours argument, in which the opposition sought to have it cut at least a half million. The senate deferred further argument until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Many senators believe the bill will pass for the full amount.

During the conduct of the government's case recently Edwin P. Grosvenor, special assistant to Attorney General Wickersham, closely questioned Edwin L. Wayman, attorney for the enameling ware industry. It was by means of these patents that the defendants agreed to combine. The government contended that the patents while useful, were not essential and that they were assigned to Wayman for the sole purpose of evading the Sherman anti-trust act by screening.

George Shields, a former employee of the Standard Manufacturing by the defense yesterday, continued his testimony today.

In an effort to prove that the patents are essential, Attorney Herbert P. Noble, of New York, or the defense, questioned Shields as to the merits of enameling bath tubs by hand and by patent process. Shields stated that machinery saved time, accomplished more work and better results. He also claimed that it had doubled the compensation of the workmen.

The Los Angeles detective is expected here to identify a prisoner in the local jail who was arrested recently near here and has been held awaiting word from the Los Angeles police.

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