

COATED AROUND IN AIR AND FLOATED IN WATER AS WELL

New French Machine Proves Wonder in Air as Well as in Water

AVIATOR COULDN'T KEEP MATCHES DRY

Kept His Feet Out of Water. However, And That Made Him Happy

(By Associated Press.) CALAIS, July 19.—Herbert Latham, the French aviator, made a daring but unsuccessful attempt to cross the English channel in his monoplane this morning.

The air space of the wings, however, kept the machine afloat and the monoplane, lying like a wounded bird, was stretched out on the water when the French torpedo boat destroyer Harpon, which had been kept abreast throughout the journey, came alongside and picked up the aviator.

He immediately announced that he was not discouraged by the failure and would try again as soon as the machine was repaired. The injuries to the monoplane were slight, the principal damage being caused when it was hauled aboard the torpedo boat destroyer.

The failure of the motor is attributed to a bad carburetor on the monoplane, which when four hundred feet in the air began to descend when the machine was two hundred

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FIRE FIVE SHOTS AT HIS ENEMY THEN KILLED HIMSELF

Lieut. Adams Tells Graphic Story of Encounter in Camp at Naval Academy, Several Discrepancies in Testimony.

(By Associated Press.) ANNAPOLIS, July 19.—The opening session here today of the court of inquiry which is conducting a second investigation into the death of Lieutenant James Nettle Sutton, of the United States marine corps, was replete with dramatic situations.

The court assembled in the big auditorium of the Academy building. The very largeness of the hall added to the atmosphere of solemnity.

Lieutenant Robert E. Adams, Sutton's former classmate at the academy and one of the principal actors in the midnight fight which cost young Sutton his life nearly two years ago occupied the witness stand during the entire session, and told a graphic story of the incidents leading up to Sutton's death.

At one point in his testimony, Lieutenant Adams and an orderly enacted the struggle with Sutton, in the court room. The witness chair was removed and they both lay prone upon the floor.

Adams Says Suicide. A ride to the marine camp in an automobile with Sutton and two other officers of marines, Lieutenants Utley and Osterman, an altercation between Sutton and the witness and a deferred encounter when the senior officer interfered, as the automobile was stopped short of the camp with the intention of avoiding being caught returning after hours, a late accident at a meeting of the witness and Sutton

on the border of the woods near the barracks and the fight between the two men with Sutton armed with a revolver in either hand and firing five shots, the last of which he directed at his own head while lying on the ground, those were the points in Lieutenant Adams' testimony.

Witness From Dead. The witness said he had risen from the prostrate Sutton whom he believed to be exhausted, and stood a few feet back of him when he saw Sutton raise his right hand and fire a bullet into his own head.

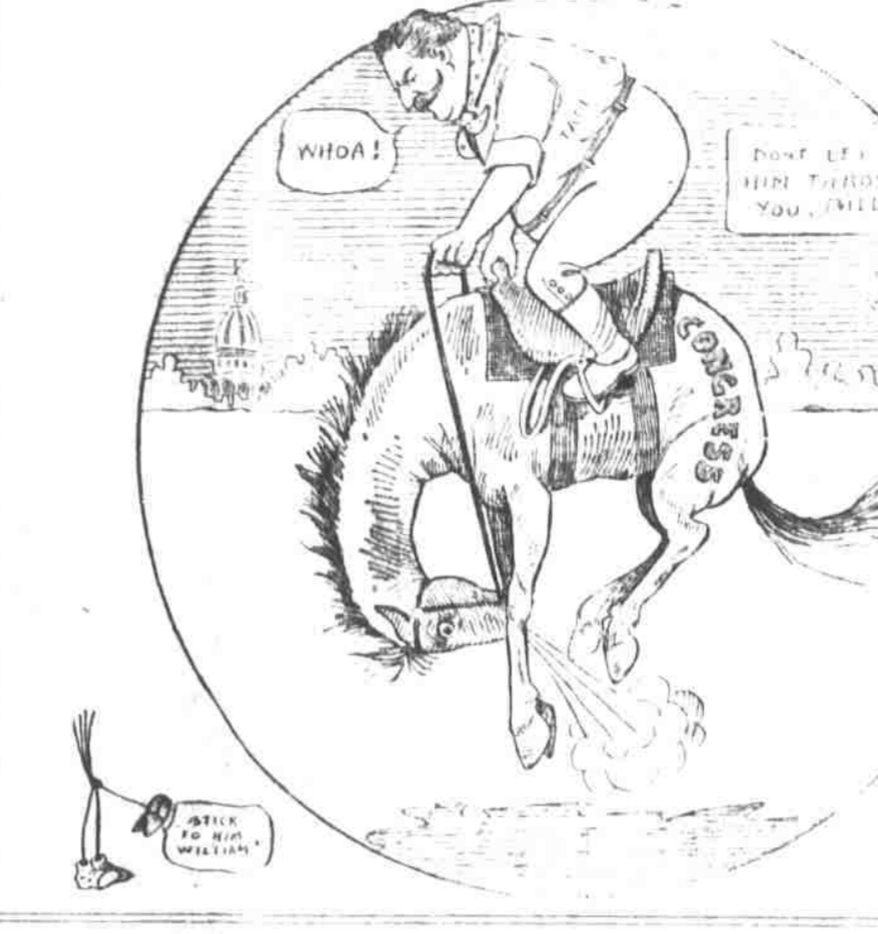
Adams had made no attempt to take the revolver from Sutton's hands when he broke away or was pulled away from him, he said, in reply to Lawyer Davis' oft-repeated question, Sutton had previously threatened to kill, and was generally avoided by the marines because of his wild talk and actions, according to the witness.

After the session Mr. Davis said that it was not his intention to fasten the responsibility of Sutton's death on anyone but that every effort would be made to discredit and refute the suicide theory.

Roelker in Wheeling. WHEELING, W. Va., July 19.—According to a statement made tonight by Harry B. Thomas, of Martin's Ferry, Ohio, Edward P. Roelker, the much wanted witness in the Annapolis investigation into the death of Lieutenant Sutton and for whom a search has been made all over the country, is in Wheeling at the present time.

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Bronco Busting in Washington.



PRESIDENT WILL FEED THEIR APPETITES AND THEIR AVARICE

All Differences May Be Digested with the Best Viands of the White House and All Differences May Be Adjusted and Tariff Schedules May Be Arranged to Make Country Happy.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, July 19.—All the republican members of the tariff conference have been invited by President Taft to take dinner with him Wednesday at the white house.

It is assumed that he expects to be ready to report progress in getting votes for the abolition of duties on raw materials.

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Disposition of the hosiery schedule at a considerable advance in the cheaper grades over the Dingley rates, is in prospect. Existing rates were greatly restored by the senate.

On stockings valued up to \$1.50 per dozen pairs, the new rate proposed is eighty cents. The house rate was eighty-five cents and the senate and Dingley sixty cents.

On stockings valued above \$1.50 and not above \$2, the compromise rate is ninety cents, while the house rate was \$1 and the present rate seventy cents.

On stockings valued above \$2 and not above \$3, the compromise rate is ninety cents, while the house rate was \$1 and the present rate seventy cents.

On stockings valued above \$3 and not above \$4, the compromise rate is ninety cents, while the house rate was \$1 and the present rate seventy cents.

On stockings valued above \$4 and not above \$5, the compromise rate is ninety cents, while the house rate was \$1 and the present rate seventy cents.

HENEY LOSES SEVERAL SHREDS OUT OF MANTLE GLORY IN SHOW DOWN

Services He Performed were Nothing for Many Thousands per.

THEN THEY RUSHED.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, July 19.—That Francis J. Heney special counsel of the department of justice, and also assistant prosecutor in so-called graft cases in San Francisco received from the government last year \$25,000 for which he performed no service at all was the frank admission of Chairman Tawney, of the appropriations committee of the house today.

"How much did Heney receive during the year 1908?" demanded Mr. Murphy, of Missouri, and what service did he perform?

"He received \$25,000 and performed no services for the government whatever during the year," replied Mr. Tawney.

Subsequently, Mr. Tawney said "as a matter of fact Mr. Heney has not performed any services for the last three years. He was appointed November 7, 1903, and his active services continued for about three years and for which he received in all \$63,000."

VETERANS ANNOUNCE DEATH OF MRS. HAYES IN ORDERS TO "REBS"

Gen. Evans Announces the Death of Last Daughter of President Davis.

TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD

COLORADO SPRINGS, July 19.—The funeral of Mrs. J. Addison Hayes, only daughter of Jefferson Davis, only president of the confederacy will be held at the family home Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Arthur N. Taft of St. Stephens' Episcopal church and Rev. Henry Rutgers, rector of Grace Episcopal church of this city will officiate.

Following the services the ashes of the body, which was cremated today at Riverside cemetery, Denver, will be placed in a casket and returned to Colorado Springs where the funeral will be held at 11 o'clock. The ashes will be taken to Richmond, Va., the former home of Mrs. Hayes. There services will be held at St. Paul's church at 10 o'clock. The funeral of all members of the family of Jefferson Davis has been held.

Official announcement of the death of Mrs. J. Addison Hayes, the last surviving child of President Jefferson Davis of the confederate states, in America was made by the United Confederate veterans in a general order issued this afternoon from the headquarters of that organization in New Orleans. The order stated that Mrs. J. Addison Hayes died at her home in Colorado Springs late yesterday afternoon.

OLD FIREMAN DEAD.

(By Associated Press.) BALTIMORE, July 19.—George W. Gall, one of the wealthiest and best known citizens of Baltimore, died today following an operation for an intestinal perforation due to typhoid fever.

HOW FAKE HOMESTEADS ARE REGISTERED OUT IN THE WESTERN COUNTRY

If You Can Say "Whoa" That Makes You a Citizen.

UP TO CONGRESS

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, July 19.—Having gotten over the general "spree" of last Friday the house today transacted a general assortment of business.

It began by passing an omnibus trade bill, then followed by an apology by Mr. Hobson of Arkansas, who, on last February, made some uncomplimentary remarks about Ambassador Giffen, at Tokyo and further contradicted the recent denials.

There were several times, one of which culminated in an announcement by Mr. Mason of Arkansas that he would resign his seat if it could be proven that he was a legislative defaulter.

The controversy was a three-cornered one, in which not only Mr. Mason, but Mr. DeLoach of Colorado and Mr. Mason of Illinois, were engaged. Mr. DeLoach, in stating that he had voted for the appropriation of \$500,000 to pay the traveling expenses of the president's address of farewell, Mr. Mason in what was supposed to be a sarcastic manner.

He then entered upon the discussion of a pension granting money for the family of a certain general and then fell into a conspiracy with Mr. Mason, during which the latter said that he was going to be paid for the most part in the form of "home" stock.

PRIEST DRIVEN FROM HOME BY PERSECUTORS

Running Newspaper Caused His Congregation to Turn Against Him.

(By Associated Press.) NEW ORLEANS, July 19.—Destitute and penniless, he had to leave his home and the place of his parish, after a year of persecution, says Rev. J. J. Barry, a Catholic priest, arriving in New Orleans today.

Father Hodges, for the past two years has been in the parish of St. Martin, in Plaquemine, Louisiana, where he was also a newspaper in that town and published a charge of infidelity.

He was recently expelled from his parish and his small flock was scattered. He is now in the city of New Orleans, where he is seeking a new home.

Father Hodges declared today that charges filed in the church in New Orleans were false and had been trumped up by his political enemies.

He will accept of the return from Rome of Archbishop Rink.

STATE OFFICERS CINCHING PROHIBITION VOTERS

Show Why It Is so and Is Not Otherwise as It Might Be Expected.

(Special to The Citizen.) BALTIMORE, N. C., July 19.—Dreadful and deadly is the work of the prohibition voters, who are all too busy in their efforts to secure the passage of a law which will prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors.

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LITTLE NEGRO SLASHES WHITE BOY WITH KNIFE

Infant Criminal Is Held to Answer Police Judge's Sentence.

(Special to The Citizen.) CHARLOTTE, July 19.—For an act which is doubly heinous, a little negro boy, aged five, was held today in the police station, after having slashed a white boy with a knife.

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SAYLER-MILLER TRAGEDY BECOMES MORE CONFUSED

New Found Evidence Puts Blame of Crime on Wife of Murdered Man

WIFE'S FATHER IS ALSO IMPLICATED

Will of Dead Man Gave Substantial Legacy to His Wife and Daughter

(By Associated Press.) WATSEKA, Ill., July 19.—At the solicitation of state's Attorney Paul Isard, Circuit Judge Hoover this afternoon called a special grand jury to assemble tomorrow morning to investigate the murder of J. B. Saylor at Crosscut City.

The special jury was called in order to forestall the habeas corpus proceeding by the attorneys for Dr. William H. Miller, Mrs. Saylor and her father and brother.

New evidence in the case has been found. Part of the contents of the sealed packet left by Saylor, the murdered banker, has been made public by a person who saw it. It is said to have contained an intercepted letter from Dr. Miller to Mrs. Saylor, which it is said, convinced Saylor, his wife was intimate with Miller.

Mr. Saylor's will, which there has been so much speculation, was also in the packet. It was drawn some time ago and left a substantial sum to Mrs. Saylor, her daughter, and Mrs. John Grunden, his mother-in-law, now dead. However, this will cannot be probated as it is signed by only one person.

The most sensational evidence yet found in a shirt waist belonging to Mrs. Saylor, found in her bed-room and said to have been concealed under the carpet. This shirt waist contained marks from a bloody watch chain and the prosecution claims Mrs. Saylor sat on her husband's chest during his dying moments.

A revolver, it is said, was found on the person of John Grunden, Mrs. Saylor's father, and the prosecution alleges it was a bullet from this revolver which made the dent in the interior wall of the building close to the place where Saylor sat just before he was killed.

PARDON BECAUSE HE WOULD NOT BE SHOT

Declined to Lose His Grip on His Saddle in Spite of the Law.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, July 19.—I won't allow any of them to whip me off my saddle," the remark attributed to C. L. Addison after a fusillade of shots on the Arkansas Indian Territory border in the latter months, and today Addison was pardoned after having served a sentence of more than a dozen years imprisonment following that shooting affair.

He was then charged with the murder of Oscar Hodges in Red River county, Choctaw nation, Indian Territory, and was sentenced to be hanged on September 4, 1907. President McKinley commuted his sentence to imprisonment for life, and today President Taft commuted the sentence so that it will expire immediately.

The pardons showed that Hodges had the blood of Addison "off his back" and there was no evidence of motives for the murder.

TOOK STRYCHNINE BY MISTAKE

Richmond, Ky., July 19.—Imprisonment for life and ten years additional servitude was the sentence pronounced today on Harry Simpson, Elkhart, Ky., and George Stanley, by United States District Judge Sheridan. The three men were convicted of the murder of a federal deputy marshal in a mining riot at Stearns, Ky., on Christmas, 1908. The additional sentence of ten years is for alleged disobedience of a federal injunction in the mining controversy.



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