

CALLS TROOPS TO PREVENT CLASH AMONG FEUDISTS

Old Political Trouble In Meadville Threatens to Break Out Afresh

LAST ENCOUNTER COST FOUR LIVES

Son of One of Victims Fired Upon as he Sat on Porch of His Home

NATCHEEZ, Miss., August 23.—Companies B. and C. Third regiment state national guard, left here at 6.10 for Meadville.

Sheriff Jones notified Lieutenant Governor Manship, acting governor in the absence of Governor Noel, late today, that he did not believe he was able to cope with the situation at Meadville.

Up to a late hour today, there had been no further outbreak since Sunday night when Chancery Court Clerk Newman was fired on as he sat in his home and badly wounded in the arm.

TROOPS ON GUARD. MEADVILLE, Miss., August 23.—With martial law in effect state troops encamped about the court house and apparently masters of the situation.

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ALIEN STRIKERS FIND NO MERCY AT TROOPERS HANDS

Driven to Their Homes And Maltreated if They Appear on The Streets. Those Arrested Dragged to Lockup at Horses' Heels.

(By Associated Press.) PITTSBURGH, August 23.—Three columns of smoke floated lazily from the chimneys of the Pressed Steel Car company's plant in Schoenville tonight.

These mute signals told better than official statements that the striking employees of the car plant had yet to wait long to win their fight against the car company officials for the plant was still in operation despite the wild efforts of the infuriated mobs to scatter the imported workmen during the past twenty-four hours.

Tonight the striking men realized for the first time that their jobs were no more, that the company could do without them and that they no longer were wanted within the log gates of the car plant. The women and children of the strikers grasped the situation as soon as the men, and the idea of starvation and eviction with winter coming on caused walls of anguish in many a strikers' cottage.

More Police on Hand. Fifty state police are on their way here tonight to augment the company of mounted constables now on duty at the car plant. Since last night's carriage these fearless cavalrymen have declined a desire to strike fear into the hearts of the men who look their country's lives.

Dragged at Horses' Heels. The strikers' wives were evicted with disfavor by the troopers today. Several of them carrying large baskets, were made to turn over the contents to see that they were carrying nothing contraband into the houses.

Government to Investigate. The announcement was made late today that the United States government will lead the prologue charge against President F. N. Hoffman and Foreman Samuel Cohen of the Pressed Steel Car company in the event of making a thorough investigation of the allegations by Albert Varnos, who swore to the charges before United States Commissioner Lindsey on Saturday.



Just Look at Master Willie's Face, All Wrinkled And Unkind. Look Again— You'll Find a Trace, Of Something on His Mind.

REPORT OF MONETARY COMMISSION ALMOST READY FOR SUBMISSION

Senator Aldrich Will Confer with President on It This Week—After Hard Day Sunday Taft Gets Back to His Golf Games and Lets the Nation's Business Go.

(By Associated Press.) BEVERLY, Mass., August 23.—President Taft's return on the shift of the golf club and the side of the automobile was considerably firmer today than on the part of government, although he found time to glance over his morning mail.

There would be no diplomatic changes after congress convened, the expected arrival on Thursday of Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island, to discuss the report of the monetary commission, and the intimation that the administration was prepared to defend to the last ditch.

On Thursday Senator Aldrich, who will go over with the president and Secretary MacVane a portion of the report of the monetary commission. It is understood that the report is in a more complete form than even the president expected and it is possible that it will be in shape by the time Senator Aldrich returns from his four week trip to Europe.

GOVERNMENT AGENT'S FAILURE TO REPORT IS CAUSING MUCH ANXIETY

Feared That He Has Met with Mishap in Conflict with Jap Sealers.

SEND OUT ALARM

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, August 23.—Officials of the department of commerce and labor feel considerable concern because of the non receipt of the report of agent W. J. Lombardy.

When Mr. Lombardy went to the islands at the beginning of last season, he took with him five mountain boatmen and a quantity of side arms.

It is not likely that word will be despatched by revenue cutter to investigate. The government boats are not allowed to exceed an annual kill of fifteen thousand seals.

RAILROAD SOLD. JACKSON, Miss., August 23.—The Mobile, Jackson and Kansas city railroad was sold under foreclosure at Decatur, Newton county, today, the purchase price being \$2,200,000.

ALABAMA HEREAFTER WILL HATCH NOTHING BUT HUMANIZED ANGELS

Dominoes, Pool and Other Games Are Not in Favor with Buedie House.

LIQUOR IS ANATHEMA

(By Associated Press.) MONTGOMERY, Ala., August 23.—The Tarrent bill aimed at social clubs which passed the senate today, is held up by the house which refused to concur in the senate amendments.

Other bills passed by the senate include The Fuller foreign corporation bill, which provides for the cancellation of the license of any foreign corporation which is authorized by its charter in the state of its organization, to sell or otherwise dispose of intangibles.

The bill was amended by the senate so as not to apply to foreign drug corporations. A second Fuller bill, allowing six hundred who operate pharmacies to sell or use alcohol for medicinal purposes only, with the provision that the names of the purchasers be filed with the probate judge of the county.

ROBBERY FOILED IN AN ATTEMPT TO GET AWAY WITH A JEWELRY STORE

Had \$25,000 in Loot Packed up Ready When Alarm Was Given.

THREE CAPTURED

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, August 23.—An extraordinary robbery occurred here today. About three o'clock in the afternoon a well-known jeweler, Smith, in the company of his wife and daughter, was returning the Bank of England and the Royal Exchange, strengthened through the door of the building and left in a condition of collapse.

About the same moment four men rushed out of the store and escaped in a cab. Six others tried to escape but were captured. In the meantime Smith became conscious and was taken to a hospital.

"I was eating dinner about half past two o'clock," he said, "in a room adjoining the strong room, when I heard footsteps. Almost immediately I was struck on the head with a 'blimey' and knocked off my chair. I was then dealt a number of blows and collapsed. When I came to myself I found that I was bound to a chair, but I managed to unfasten the rope and scrambled to the door and raised an alarm."

ARMY WILL BE CUT DOWN FOR THE SAKE OF ECONOMY

President Insists That Further Enlistments Be Stopped for Present.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, August 23.—Returning prospects in leaving the military service for the United States army to stop the standard established since and following the year of 1902, when the number of the unemployed.

The authorized strength of the army today is 110,000 men, exclusive of hospital corps, which numbers 2,000 men. As the force of volunteers of the men expires in a few months to induce enlistment in recruits. It will not be a hard matter to reduce the size of the standing army in accordance with the President's wishes.



WASHINGTON, August 23.—Foreign Minister, Dr. Tamm, Wednesday, moderate and northeast.

CONFEDERATE CAMPS TO HONOR ADMIRAL SEMMES

Gen. Evans Issues Orders in Pursuance of Resolutions of Reunion.

(By Associated Press.) NEW ORLEANS, August 23.—By command of General Clement A. Evans, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, and in accordance with resolutions adopted at the last annual reunion, Adjutant General and Chief of Staff William G. Mickle tonight issued a general order calling for the observance on September 23, next, of the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Rear Admiral Raphael Semmes of the Confederate States navy.

Simultaneously the soldiers in the ranks of Confederate regiments in its list are constituted as much to familiarize the inhabitants of the globe with the stars and bars of the flag of the Confederate States, as did the commander of the summer and the autumn. That was the life of each of those vessels but the life of each vessel was full of glorious action and the standard way in which our great naval power managed all matters, whether in respect to admirals, who were or were not admirals, or admirals, who were or were not admirals.

WASHINGTON, August 23.—Rear Admiral Sperry, who took the Atlantic coast on his way from San Francisco to the Philippines and through the Strait of Magellan, will be paid on the 23rd of September. He will then have reached the age of sixty-two years. The admiral is now on duty at the naval war college at Newport.

WALL ST. ANXIOUSLY WATCHING HARRIMAN

Great Financier Returns Home Today Still Broken in Health.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, August 23.—As the Kaiser Wilhelm II hourly draws nearer to her pier in New York, public interest in E. H. Harriman's return grows acute. The general anxiety as to his health has found expression in a series of published appreciations of his personality and achievements.

Tomorrow the day he lands—both the Southern and the Union Pacific directors are to meet. But it has not even suggested from any authoritative source that Mr. Harriman will make any attempt to attend these meetings which are expected to discuss dividends and deal with other matters of importance.

Alexander Miller, secretary of the Harriman Trust, one of Mr. Harriman's most trusted lieutenants, spoke of his chief today with a seriousness and warmth that brought the tears to his eyes. "Mr. Harriman," said he, "has been pictured as an egotist, a huge spender, an outcast. You don't know what a big-hearted, big-souled man he really is. I call him today the biggest, the bravest, the most patriotic American we have."

CURTISS MAKES A SPLENDID FLIGHT IN AERIAL CONTEST

Lowers Speed Record Over Course at Plains of Betheny by Half Minute

MANY MACHINES WERE ON GROUND BELOW HIM

Came Almost to Earth Once And Then Swooped Gracefully up Again

(By Associated Press.) REIMS, France, August 23.—Gleim H. Curtiss, the American aviator, and M. Paulhan, representing France, divided the honors of the second day of aviation week, the former with a thrilling flight just before dusk in which he lowered the speed record for the course, which measures 61.5 miles, to 8 minutes, 35.2 seconds; the latter making two impressive high altitude flights of 49 1/2 and 56 kilometers respectively in the endurance test for the Prix de la Champagne.

With a preliminary run along the ground of one hundred yards the machine of Curtiss rose lightly and shot by the tribune at a height of sixty feet. It was going at a terrific pace, with the wings level as a plane. Curtiss made the last turn under the mistaken impression that the finish line was closer. He descended so close to earth that many thought he touched, but perceiving his error, he mounted quickly and soaring the line majestically. An instant later the signal was hoisted that he had made a record.

It is the intention of the American aviator now to await patiently the international event for the Gordon Bennett cup Saturday for which he is the favorite, after which he will try for the "Prix de la Levie, the final of which will be contested on Sunday.

FOUGHT LYNX IN HIS DEN FOR THREE HOURS

Posse Who Started Out to Aid in Killing Beast Took to Heels Early.

(By Associated Press.) LOWELL, O., August 23.—William Smith, a Carolina hunter, showed his bravery when, armed with a big knife, he crawled yesterday into a den of lynx near here and killed the leader of the band. The battle lasted three hours. The lynx was six feet in length.

For several months the lynx have been a terror to the community. They have killed stock and attacked people. Their den was in a wild, rocky ravine and none dared attempt to rout them. Smith organized a posse to help him fight the animals, but he had barely gotten inside the den when the posse, frightened at the growls of the animals, fled in terror. The battle was fought in darkness and the den was so small that Smith was unable to stand erect.

WANT PURE FOOD LAW RELAXED

(By Associated Press.) DENVER, Colo., August 23.—"Give us a uniform pure food law which may be accepted or rejected by the individual states, each according to its need. A national law should attempt nothing more than the regulation of interstate commerce."

KILLED BY EXPLOSION. GENEVA, Switzerland, August 23.—Seven persons were killed yesterday dangerously injured by an explosion at the city gas works today. The explosion occurred in the purifying chamber, between the two principal gasometers. A large number of doctors answered the call to attend the wounded who later were conveyed to the city hospital in automobiles.