

Status Of The Lorimer Case

By Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 27.—With a full realization that after today there would be very little opportunity to give any consideration to the case of Senator Lorimer, his friends went into today's session of the senate with the determination of pressing the question to a vote before adjournment if possible. Senator Penrose, in charge of the postoffice appropriation bill, was engaged as the principal obstacle, but appeared willing to yield in favor of the Lorimer case if by so doing he could insure a vote upon it.

Senator LaFollette was still an uncertain factor, but the supporters of Lorimer were confident that even though Mr. LaFollette's opposition developed into a filibuster, they still could force a vote unless reinforcements came to his assistance.

No sooner had the reading of the journal been begun than Senator Burrows asked that that routine be dispensed with. Mr. Cummins was prompt in presenting his protest and he received his objection when Senator Keane requested that the journal be not read.

On motion of Senator Burrows the senate voted to proceed immediately with consideration of the Lorimer case.

The vote was 66 to 12. Many senators opposed to Lorimer voted for the motion and it was not a test.

Mardi Gras Season Opens

By Associated Press.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 27.—The 1911 Mardi Gras season was unofficially opened this afternoon with the arrival of "Rex," monarch of the carnival, and his elaborate suite on the royal yacht Iola de Luzon. The naval pageant which marked the passage of the king's yacht up the Mississippi was the most gorgeous in the history of the city. The harbor was alive with craft bedecked in the carnival colors, the docks were lined with thousands of visitors and townspeople and when the landing was made at the foot of Canal street the tooting of whistles and ringing of bells was deafening.

The land parade was the most imposing military spectacle witnessed in this city in recent years owing to the participation of large detachments of marines and sailors from the American and French men of war in the harbor. At the head of the parade "Rex" rode in his royal boat, followed by his gaily uniformed attendants, mounted and in carriages.

Seven hundred American marines and sailors were followed by almost an equal number from the French warships. Next in line were six battalions of boy scouts, detachments of the national guards of Louisiana, cadets from military uniformed companies from the various carnival organizations and mounted policemen.

At the city hall Mayor Behrman delivered to "Rex" the keys of the city and from that hour two days of unrestrained revelry began. It is estimated that 100,000 visitors are in the city.

Sixty Delegates Will Attend From Here

About fifty Charlotteans will leave for Atlanta next week to attend the Southern Commercial Congress, which will be in session on March 8, 9 and 10. President C. O. Kuester, of the Greater Charlotte Club, has appointed fifty or more delegates from the city and ten from the county who will attend the meeting on all or a part of the three days.

Special railroad rates have been granted and it is probable that a great many business men from all over the country, besides the delegates, will be in attendance. President Taft will be a visitor to the congress and will make an address during the three-day meeting. Other notables booked for an address are ex-President Roosevelt, Governor Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey; Secretary of War J. M. Dickinson; Hon. John Temple Graves and Secretary Wilson of the agricultural department.

The friends of Mrs. G. S. Gass, will be glad to know that she is much better. She has been very ill with grippe at her home in Irwin Park.

CLASS RECITAL

Miss Bessie Burkheimer entertained her dancing class on Saturday at a lovely informal dance at her studio. Hours from 8:30 to 11 p. m. This is one of many pleasant dances she will give her classes. The following young people attended: Mr. Frank Dowd and Miss Katherine Adams, Mr. Lacy Sewell, Miss Caroline Constable, Mr. Bobo Tanner, Miss Eugenia Russell, Mr. Tod Misenheimer, Miss Evelyn Blake, Mr. Tom Misenheimer, Miss Katherine Overcash, Mr. Henry Constable, Miss May London, Mr. Edward Kessler, Miss Louise Carson, Miss Anne Burkheimer, Mr. Arthur Boldridge, Miss Florence Burkheimer.

Parcels Post Convention.

By Associated Press.
Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 27.—The parcels post convention of Southern merchants will convene here tomorrow and indications are that the attendance will be large. Although the convention will be composed principally of Southern merchants, other sections of the country will be represented.

"Fete in Flowerland-Tonight"

"The Fete in Flowerland" at the Academy of Music tonight promises to be a treat for all the people. Children will be delighted with the features that will appeal to them, and older people will be made to feel good because of what the older actors and actresses will do.

The tiny tots will come first and will be followed by the forget-me-nots, lilies and rosebuds.

Miss Annie May Moorman, who has engineered the production has consented to give all selections of a humorous nature. And that she has no equal on the Southern platform is a fact attested by the press and the public throughout the country.

The sweet pea dance by 20 young ladies in varied colored dresses will be more than worth the price of admission.

From the advance sale of seats it can be told that the audience will more than crowd every seat.

But the sunflower dance by a score or more of prominent young men in ballet effect will be a "screamer." It will all be worth the while, and if one wants a seat he would do well to hurry this afternoon.

Joe Turner Wins Match,

Special to The News.
Greenville, Ala., Feb. 27.—Joe Turner, the middleweight champion wrestler defeated Henry Rodgers in a fast and furious wrestling match at the opera house, winning two straight falls. The first fall came after 41 minutes of hard wrestling on a cradle hold and in the second fall Turner used his legs to great advantage, winning on a double leg Nelson Rodgers had the Charlotte wrestler in several tight places but was unable to break the bridge formed by the clever middleweight. Rodgers' weight was around 175 pounds and Turner's 160 pounds. An immense crowd saw the match, Joe Wagner, a New Orleans wrestler, was present and challenged the winner.

Malaria Makes Pale Blood.

The Old Standard GROVES' TASTE-LESS CHILL TONIC drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children. 50c.

Father and Son Rescued.

Bellfontaine, O., Feb. 27.—John Beers, a farmer, 40 years old, and his son, Gibson Beers, 21 years old, were rescued from a mob of would-be lynchers by a sheriff's posse, after the younger man had shot dead Burr Kerns, a neighbor.

Kerns, accompanied by his brother, Daniel, and two friends had gone to the Beers home, where they accused Beers of stealing corn. According to the elder Beers, during the altercation one of the men struck him with a shovel, knocking him down. He claims that another man attacked his wife and that Burr Kerns was rushing at him when young Beers fired.

After the shooting Kerns' friends assembled with the avowed intention of lynching the Beers. The latter barricaded themselves inside their home and held the mob off with their rifles until the sheriff arrived with a posse, to whom they surrendered. Daniel Kerns was also arrested.

Fugitive's Bones in Tunnel.

Columbus, O., Feb. 27.—A mystery of an escape at the Ohio penitentiary more than 70 years ago is believed to have been cleared when prisoners at work tearing down one of the abandoned buildings found a few fragments of human bones in a tunnel which they uncovered.

The bones are thought to be all that remains of Scott Maythe, who, the records of the penitentiary show, escaped from the institution on July 7, 1840. The records show that it was suspected Maythe was in hiding somewhere in the penitentiary and that other prisoners carried food to him.

An Assemblage of Presidents.

Greenville, S. C., Feb. 27.—The 4th annual meeting of the North and South Carolina Association of presidents of colleges for women will meet in this city March 8, 9, 10. The association is composed of the presidents of colleges for women in North and South Carolina, the wives of the presidents being also eligible to membership.

This association was formed in 1908. Since that time three annual meetings have taken place. The first meeting was held at Winston-Salem, N. C., at the Winston academy and college; the second in 1909 at Converse College, Spartanburg; and the third in 1910 at Meredith College, Raleigh.

The benefits of the association of college presidents are numerous. Its object is to bring together the heads of the institutions for conference on matters of common interest.

Arrest Him as Bomb-Maker.

Lebanon, Pa., Feb. 27.—John Kleiner, a naturalized American, was taken into custody by state officers as the result of the discovery that he had manufactured a bomb, the contents of which are now being subjected to the examination of an expert.

Pending a report by the state's expert at Harrisburg, Kleiner is being held a prisoner at the county jail. Kleiner, an expert machinist, is a native of Austria, 38 years old.

Trepanning Cures Blindness.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 27.—Blindness has been cured here by a surgical operation. Two weeks ago Nathan Spilberg was stricken suddenly, totally blind at his desk in school. Surgeons diagnosed brain pressure, and removed a small piece of skull from above that portion of the brain which controls the optic nerves. The bandages were removed under prepared conditions as to the light, and the boy could see as well as ever.

Pellagra Still a Mystery.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Scientists of the public health and marine hospital service, after an extended review of the latest investigations of pellagra and its possible relation to corn, are in as much doubt as ever as to the real causes of the disease. The general conclusion is that pellagra and pellagroid affections may be due not only to the use of corn as food, but also to the use of other grains and plant stuffs of various localities.

—Rev. Mr. Deaton will conduct services at Morning Star Lutheran church next Sunday, March 5. Mr. Deaton is a forceful and eloquent preacher and will no doubt be heard by a large congregation.

After Dinner

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Revival Services At

Pegram Street Church

Revival services extending throughout the week will begin tonight at 7:45 o'clock in Pegram street Presbyterian church in Belmont. Rev. T. D. Cartledge, the new pastor of the church, will do the preaching.

Mr. Cartledge came to Charlotte only a short while ago and has made a good impression on the entire community of Belmont. He is a logical and forceful speaker, in diction clear and eloquent. His scholarship is broad and accurate.

The services will be held every night this week, beginning at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to the meetings.

Alleged Woman Thief

Sent to Grand Jury

Eunice Perry, a negro woman, was forwarded to the superior court by Recorder Smith this morning to answer the charge of stealing \$137 and a check amounting to \$100 from Mr. W. C. Abernathy, a very well known gentleman in this city, and who for six years was sheriff of Gaston county. His home is now in Gastonia.

According to Mr. Abernathy the woman snatched his purse Friday evening while he was on a dark street. He immediately reported the matter to the police and the woman was arrested in Greensboro. In the purse, testified Mr. Abernathy, were thirteen \$10 bills, one a gold certificate, two \$1 bills and one \$5 bill. He identified the money found upon the negro woman's person when she was arrested.

Policeman McCall, who went after the woman and brought her to the city Sunday, told of what the woman told him. She declared to the officer that she had taken the money with the man's consent. Some parts of her account of what she claimed to have happened were revolting. Bail in the sum of \$200 was required for her appearance in the higher court to answer the charge.

A KING WHO LEFT HOME

set the world to talking, but Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says he always KEEPS AT HOME the King of all Laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—and that they're a blessing to all his family. Cure constipation, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia. Only 25c at W. L. Hand & Co.'s.

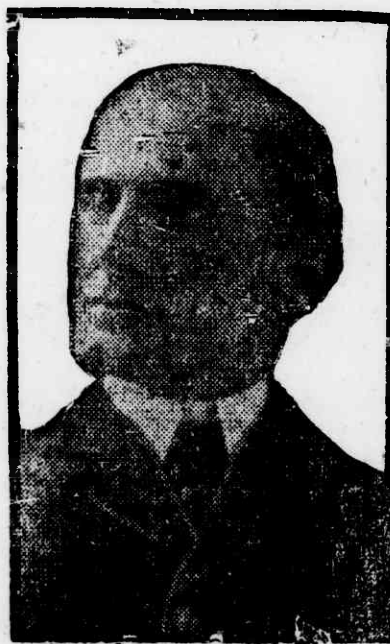
Norway Suffragist Heaven.

Christiania, Feb. 27.—The Norwegian cabinet has adopted a resolution providing for the admission of women to all state offices, except those having to do with the cabinet and the military, diplomatic and consular services and the church.

Tafts at Hero's Funeral.

Washington, Feb. 27.—President and Mrs. Taft attended the funeral of Edward McQuade, coachman for Secretary of War Dickinson, who was killed several days ago, when he drove his runaway team of horses into a steep bank, thereby saving the life of 2-year-old Helen Dickinson, the granddaughter of the secretary. St. Matthew's church, where the services were held, was crowded with friends of McQuade, who had driven for successive secretaries of war for 25 years.

Chronic Diseases of Men and Women



If you are suffering from any disease and have not been able to get relief, see Dr. Moss at once and have a thorough examination. The doctor has the confidence of the people by being on the square and honest with the public. No deception, no false promises. If you are afflicted with Blood Poison, Nervous Decline, Catarrh of Head, Throat or Lungs, or any stomach and Liver Trouble, Piles, Rheumatism, Female Diseases of long standing, or any chronic disease of any nature, I extend a cordial invitation to call and consult me free of charge. Those who know me and know my office know I am an enthusiast over my work, and while I have to have pay for my work as a matter of course, my charges are what I and the patient thing proper, not based on seeing how much I can scare and squeeze out of some poor unfortunate piece of humanity. If you will appreciate honest business methods and conscientious service, I shall be pleased to see you at my office. A personal visit is preferred, but the fact that you are out of town and cannot call need not deprive you of my services. If you cannot call, write for particulars, mode of treatment, prices and terms. Letters and office calls are free and confidential.

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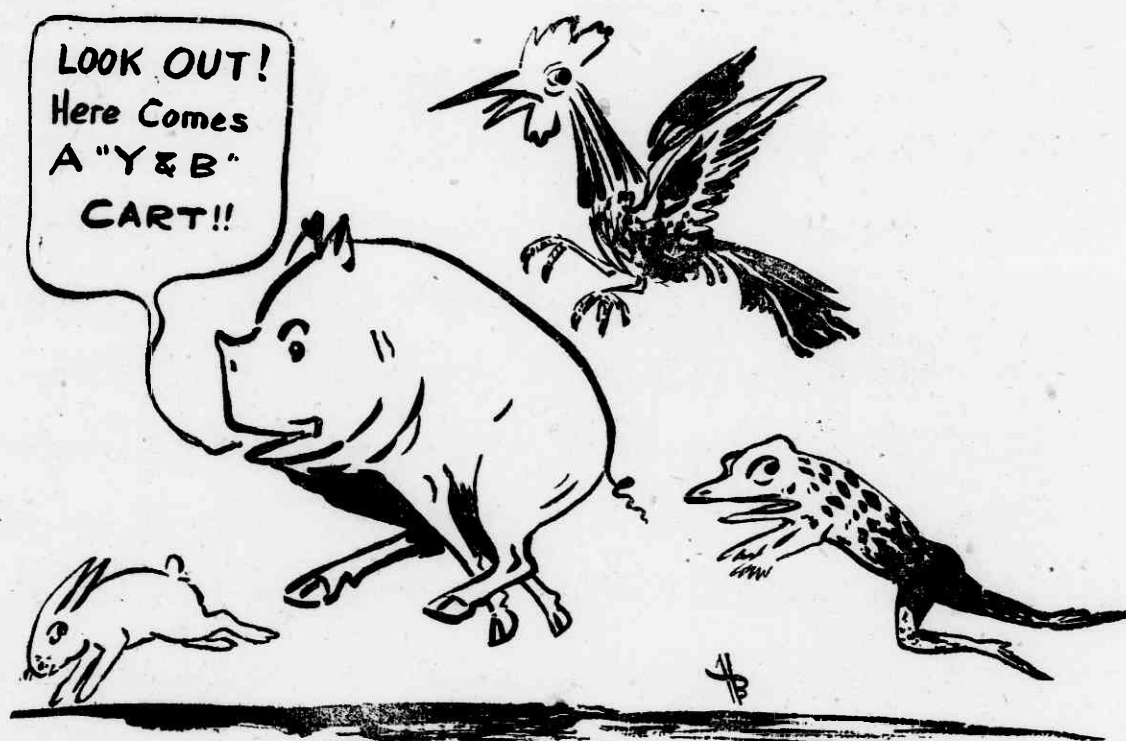
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