

SERGEANT TODD RETICENT ABOUT SUTTON MATTER

Denies Interview Published in Boston About Manner of Sutton's Death

KNOWS NOTHING OF IT

Sutton Inquiry Will be Rushed to a Conclusion Today—Sergeant Archibald Todd, the Latest Sensational Witness to Appear Was on Hand—Denied Interview in Which He is Alleged to Have Said He Saw Sutton Shot Down While Running Across the Parade Grounds—Testimony of the Undertakers Heard. Was Rather Gruesome—Several Witnesses Called to Verify Stenographic Report of Former Testimony.

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Annapolis, Md., Aug. 11—The Sutton inquiry will be rushed to a conclusion today. Sergeant Archibald Todd, the latest sensational witness to appear, was on hand when court opened. He was reticent when asked about an interview published first in Boston. In that interview Todd was purported to have said he was an eye witness to the Sutton tragedy and to have seen the young lieutenant shot down as he was running across the parade grounds.

"I don't know anything about it," he said. After the minutes of yesterday's session had been read this morning Judge Advocate Leonard offered to summon Private Higgins "from Honolulu or any other warm climate."

Kennedy had testified that he relieved Higgins about the time the fight between officers began but the Sutton attorneys indicated that they would not trouble the government to summon Higgins. Rather gruesome was the testimony of James M. Widefield and H. R. Taylor, undertakers. They testified as to the condition of the body but nothing important was brought out. Mrs. Sutton and Mrs. Parker both shuddered and hung their heads while these and similar details followed concerning the autopsy and subsequent embalming.

Several witnesses were then called to verify the stenographic record of former testimony. During the period it developed that the record of the present Sutton inquiry has now reached more than thirteen hundred typewritten pages as compared with a record of 38 pages for the former inquest, which resulted in a verdict that Sutton committed suicide. It is understood that the Sutton attorneys will lay stress on this point in substantiation of their charges of a most incomplete first inquiry and will urge on account of this and other reasons, a reversal of its verdict.

Sutton was never in more amiable mood than during the evening he spent with Miss Stewart, at Carvel Hall, before Sutton began his last automobile ride, was the first fact testified to by Dr. Colesman. He left Sutton at 12 o'clock, Coleman said, and the three planned to dine together the next day. Sutton had read a portion of a letter he had just received from his mother and spoke in endearing terms of her, the witness said.

He declared that Sutton was perfectly sober and exhibited the same good nature that caused him to like the young lieutenant. A letter that (Continued on Page Two.)

TUG GOES DOWN IN HEAVY SEA AND 4 ARE DROWNED

United States Tug Nezinscott Sinks and Half of the Crew Go Down

TROTTER A. & M. BOY

Captain's Wife and Son Were Aboard the Tug—Were Washed Overboard With the Captain But Were Saved. Tug Ran on the Rocks in a Heavy Northeast Gale—Was on Her Way From Portsmouth to Boston With Supplies for the Battleship Missouri—Surgeon Trotter, U. S. N., of the Portsmouth Hospital Corps One of Those Drowned—Was From North Carolina—Others Were Members of the Crew—Those Saved Rowed Five Miles in Heavy Sea.

The Marquise and Marquis Edouard de Reymonte

Damaging Stories About Captain and Mrs. Winchester Are Disclosed

NO MORE BEGGING

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In view of additional evidence contained in letter from cities in our own state, Mayor J. S. Wynne today withdrew the permit to Captain Winchester, of the American Salvation, and he is no longer allowed to use the streets of the city for the purpose of holding religious meetings, and cannot solicit funds from the citizens. This action was taken by the mayor upon the advice of City Attorney Walter Clark, Jr., and Aldermen Brown, Upchurch and Peebles, who were present at an informal meeting in the mayor's office this morning, when the accumulative testimony was read and Captain Winchester was given an opportunity of refuting the numerous charges.

The mayor notified Captain Winchester that such a meeting would be held and invited the aldermen to be present. Of the three aldermen who were present at the meeting, two of them, Peebles and Upchurch, were on the special committee appointed by the board to look into the charges against the Winchesters several weeks ago, when the board recommended that a permit be granted.

Alderman Upchurch, who was chairman of this committee, explained at the meeting today that on the former occasion there were no specified charges, but that the committee was called on to investigate a story printed in a Norfolk paper. This story, explained Captain Winchester to the committee, referred to his brother and not to himself. Upon this explanation and after looking over his books, the committee recommended to the board that he be allowed to continue his work. This morning, however, there were specified charges from people within the borders of our own state, in the face of which there was a unanimous opinion that the permit should be revoked until the charges could be satisfactorily refuted or explained.

The mayor announced at the outset that the meeting had been called to investigate new charges against the Winchesters, not the charges preferred by "The Salvation Army," but by police departments and citizens. A great pile of letters had been received by Mr. Wynne himself, Dr. R. S. Stephenson and The Evening Times, all of which contained very damaging stories about the American Salvation Army and its workers. Some of these letters are printed below.

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For weeks the Spanish force in Melilla has been strengthened as the soldiers could be moved out of Spain, until the forces of General Marina, who commands the city, are now 38,000 fighting men. The Spanish artillery has been bombarding the Moorish stronghold on Mt. Gurugu daily in preparation for the grand sally. Food and ammunition in great abundance has been taken into the city. According to General Marina's plans, he hoped to crush out the Moorish rebellion by a single blow. The campaign, which is reported to have started today, will close before the end of September, according to the plans of the Spanish commander.

New York Yacht Club Fleet Meets Terrific Gale as It Rounded Cape Cod--Many Boats Were Disabled



The Marquise and Marquis Edouard de Reymonte, who were held at Ellis Island, New York's emigrant station, for several days, owing to a mistake of the emigrant officials. The Marquise, very indignant, describes life at Ellis Island as a horrible nightmare.

BALLINGER AND PINCHOT SET OFF THE FIREWORKS

Delegates Find Plenty to Interest in the Crossing of Verbal Swords

THEIR PLATFORMS

Secretary of the Interior Ballinger Today Took Up the Gage of Battle Hurling Yesterday by Gifford Pinchot—Pinchot Had His Inning Yesterday, But the Secretary Got Back at Him Today—Ballinger is a Conservative Who Believes in Doing Things, But in Doing Them in a Legal Way—Pinchot Wants a Free Hand and No Dictation—Wants to Give the Whole Performance Himself, Without Any Suggestions From Superiors.

President Taft Taking Masseur Treatment to Reduce; Was Becoming Alarmed

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 11—Before he started for the golf links today President Taft submitted to the ministrations of a vigorous masseur, who has contracted to bring down the presidential weight.

Dr. Walker is the masseur and he hails from Boston, with a long string of victorious achievements against adipose tissue to his credit. President Taft is alarmed at the onward march of his avoirdupois and is taking desperate measures to check it.

Dr. Walker made his first call today, visiting the summer white house before breakfast. This he will do every day.

Taft's weight is now up to 326 pounds and he became alarmed at the prospect. For more than half an hour this morning Dr. Walker applied himself to the presidential bulk and he hopes to reduce Mr. Taft to 300 before a week has elapsed. The masseur worked with feverish energy, kneading the chest of the massive executive, then the abdomen, and finally the huge muscles of the arm, attacking every lump of fat and sinew. After Dr. Walker had finished with the massage treatment President Taft in negligence, sought the lawn of the Evans cottage and went through some gymnastics prescribed in the anti-fat treatment. Dr. Walker looked on and as the perspiration trickled down the Taftian brow he nodded vigorous approval and shouted "Bully; fine". Then the president went to breakfast.

MAYOR REVOKES PERMIT TO HOLD STREET SERVICES

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NIGHT RIDERS AT WORK AGAIN

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Brownsville, Ky., Aug. 11—A masked band of night rider regulators took Andrew Farriss from his home last night and beat him terribly. They then went to the house of Belle Gross, took her and another woman out and lashed them on their bare backs. They next visited Harlan Minton, who tried to flee, but was shot through the leg. The raid occurred only a short distance from where John Stinson was called to his door and shot to death by masked men in Allen county Monday night. Members of the family say Stinson was killed because of the part he took in a lawsuit.

Large Plant Burned

(By Leased Wire to The Times) Lynn, Mass., Aug. 11—The large Morocco manufacturing plant of A. B. Hoffman & Son, Inc., Boston and Bridgeport streets, West Lynn, was burned today at a loss of \$250,000. The factory was closely surrounded by tenement houses, many of which were burning at different times and a score of families were turned out into the street.