

BASEBALL WORLD IS AGAIN SHOCKED BY PLANS FOR SCANDAL

Just as People Were Forgetting Former Scandals New One Breaks On Eve of the World Series.

O'CONNELL NAMED AS CONSPIRATOR

Giant Players Said to Have Offered Philli Player \$500 to Throw the Game Between Teams.

New York, Oct. 2. (By the Associated Press.)—As preparations were being made to receive baseball, prodigal son of the nation, back into the hearts of the people, a new scandal has been revealed whose ultimate effects cannot now be estimated.

Commissioner Landis, who announced last night that Jimmie O'Connell and Cozy Dolan of the Giants had been declared ineligible for attempted bribery, will continue his investigation in Washington today in an effort to discover who put the \$500 into the hands of the substitute outfielder who originated the scheme now credited to Dolan and to what extent it was practiced during the season.

People over the length and breadth of the land who yesterday forgot business and politics and ordinary affairs of life to rejoice with the national capital as it welcomed its heroes, people who had prepared for a real celebration at the new baptism of popular approval of the national game, today tried to understand the circumstances of the situation sketched by Commissioner Landis in his announcement.

Helnie Sand, Philadelphia shortstop, looks as the hero in baseball's latest family tragedy. The Commissioner acted upon information furnished by Sand who charged that O'Connell had offered him \$500 to throw the game between the Giants and Phillies on September 27th. New York won the contest 5 to 1, and clinched the pennant.

O'Connell, called before the Commissioner, President Heydler of the National League, and Manager John McGraw, of the Giants, confessed to offering the bribe and implicated Cozy Dolan, coach of the team. Capt. Frank Frisch, Geo. Kelly and Ross Young, the latter three composing the backbone of the team.

Frisch, Kelly and Young were completely absolved by the Commissioner following the hearing, but Dolan, whose testimony in favor of himself, was of "such a character as to be unacceptable," the Commissioner said, was blamed as the man who instigated the plot.

O'Connell Talks. New York, Oct. 2.—Jimmie O'Connell, Giant outfielder expelled from baseball last night after he had confessed he had offered \$500 bribe to infielder Sand of the Philadelphia Nationals to throw last Saturday's game, today declared that he had been made the goat, and other members of the New York team were the instigators of the bribery plot. He said he was given to understand the whole team was in on it.

Investigation Completed. Washington, Oct. 2.—Investigation of the charges of attempted bribery involving the New York Giants has been completed, and baseball officials apparently convinced that the expulsion of Jimmie O'Connell and Cozy Dolan has brought the case officially to a close. This was the attitude reflected today by Commissioner Landis and John A. Heydler, president of the National League. Both arrived here today from New York and after a conference indicated that no further steps were contemplated unless some new angles arise in the situation.

Landis Has Nothing More to Say. Washington, Oct. 2.—Commissioner Landis upon his arrival here today said he has nothing to add to his statement given out in New York last night concerning bribery charges placed against players of the New York Giants. "There is nothing more for me to say at present," the commissioner declared, adding that he believed the statement covered the situation to date.

WHAT GOOD IS IT, ANYWAY?

A lot of people draw the little old pay envelope every week. One fellow gets "dirty" and another sixty" and it's ten to one neither man has "bits" when pay day again rolls around.

But the Law Parts Them



The romance of Rev. Joseph E. Yates (below) 40-year-old Alluwe (Okla.) minister, and his 14-year-old bride, Georgia Fields (above), is over—for a while at least.

WOMEN PLEAD FOR PREVENTION OF WAR

Geneva, Oct. 2 (By the Associated Press.)—The league of nations assembly today unanimously adopted a resolution recommending that all state accept the protocol of arbitration and security.

Lutheran Women Are Meeting in Salisbury. Salisbury, N. C., Oct. 2.—The fourth biennial convention of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Lutheran Church of America opened here this morning with 400 or more delegates in attendance from all sections of the United States and a number of foreign countries.

THE COTTON MARKET

New York, Oct. 2.—The cotton market opened steady today at an advance of 2 to 11 points and sold 6 to 14 points net higher, with December advancing to 25.08 on relatively firm Liverpool cables.

Triumphs Set Fire to Town

Shanghai, Oct. 2 (By the Associated Press.)—The Kiangs forces fighting to capture Shanghai, employed the torch as an ally today when two of their spies set fire to the town of Lotien 10 miles north of here.

Predicts Full Payrolls in Gaston Within Six Weeks

Gastonia, Oct. 1.—W. T. Rankin, pioneer cotton mill executive, farmer and stock raiser of Gaston county, speaking to the dairymen of this section today predicted that the dairymen would find full payrolls everywhere in the county in six weeks and that every house at every mill in Gaston county would be occupied by January 1.

Bishop Likes Short Skirt, Bobbed Hair and 'Yes, We Have No Bananas'

Chicago, Oct. 2.—Bobbed hair, short skirts and songs like "Yes, We Have No Bananas" were defended against banded hair, hoop skirts and "Pharaoh's Daughter on the Fence, Little Moses in the Pool," by Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes of the Methodist Episcopal Church in an address here last night.

WHEAT ON CHICAGO'S BOARD OF TRADE IS UP FOR NEW RECORD

May Delivery Wheat Rose Today to \$1.50 Per Bushel Which Is Overnight Advance of Three Cents.

ALL DELIVERIES ALSO ADVANCED

Advances Carried Them to New High Price Record For Season—Foreign Demand Cause of Advance.

(By the Associated Press.) Chicago, Oct. 2.—Wheat on the Chicago Board of trade rose today to \$1.50 a bushel for May delivery. This represented an overnight advance of more than three cents a bushel, with all deliveries of wheat and rye here touching a new high price record for the season.

STATE MAY FURNISH INDEPENDENT BALLOTS

C. P. Barringer Believes La Follette-Wheeler Tickets Will Be Prepared by State. Raleigh, Oct. 2.—The chances of the names of the La Follette-Wheeler presidential electors being placed on the ballots in the November 4th election at the expense of the State were increased overnight.

McGrav Dismisses Case. New York, Oct. 2.—John J. McGrav, manager of the Giants, after a meeting of the team this morning said that he did not think that either Dolan or O'Connell was "vicious" or that either had any connection with a gambling ring.

THREE NIGHTS OF RIOTS IN VIRGINIA VILLAGE

Whites and Blacks Have Been Fighting Several Days at Bridgewater, Near Harrisonburg. (By the Associated Press.) Harrisonburg, Va., Oct. 2.—News of three nights of rioting between the white and negro population of Bridgewater, a college town six miles south of here, reached Harrisonburg today with a resumption of communication interrupted by the overflow of rivers and streams in this section.

With Our Advertisers

Partners Shoe Store has become a member of the famous Markson Chain of stores. Mr. G. A. Moser now has charge as manager of this store, and wants to see his old friends at the new stand.

Los Angeles, Oct. 1.—James Cruze, motion picture director, will marry Betty Compton, film star, late in October. Mrs. Mary Compton, mother of the actress, announced here today.

Greenboro, Oct. 2.—James Waycaster, of Reidsville, steel worker, and Fritz DeWich, of South Richmond, Va., apprentice bricklayer, were killed this morning when they fell 225 feet from the top of the smokestack of the newly completed heating plant on the North Carolina College for Women in the western part of the city.

Gives Up Hubby



Told by his doctor that he had one year to live, Ralph W. Uplham of Columbus asked his wife, Emily K. Uplham, to release him from marriage so he could live his last year with the woman he loved, Mrs. Uplham (above) granted his request by suing for divorce, which was granted, together with \$30 a month for the support of their son, age 8.

BARNEY DREYFUSS SAYS SERIES COULD BE HALTED

Pittsburgh Baseball Club Owner Thinks That Would Not Be Going Too Far to Help Baseball. (By the Associated Press.) Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 2.—Calling off the world series would "not be too far to go to get the right results," of baseball's latest scandal, it was declared today by Barney Dreyfuss, owner of the Pittsburgh Pirates, who issued a statement declaring that Jimmy O'Connell and Coach Cozy Dolan, of the New York Giants were "only the goats."

Josephus Daniels to Make Speaking Tour Will Begin Trip Next Week That Will Carry Him to the Shores of Pacific. Washington, Oct. 1.—Josephus Daniels, secretary of the navy under President Wilson, conferred here today with Senator Swanson, of Virginia, chairman of the speaking bureau of the Democratic national committee, and arranged to begin a speaking tour next week that will occupy him until election and carry him as far west as California.

GOVERNOR ROSS, OF WYOMING IS DEAD

Death Caused by Complications Following Operation for Appendicitis. (By the Associated Press.) Cheyenne, Wyo., Oct. 2.—Governor W. B. Ross died at 3:15 o'clock this morning. He was 51 years old.

Miss Nellie Barnhardt.

Miss Nellie Barnhardt, aged 81, died this morning at 4:30 o'clock at her home in No. 4 township. Death was caused by dropsy after an illness of about six months.

His Two Commandments.

New York, Sept. 29.—Governor Smith in his address before the State Democratic Convention last week stated that the Ten Commandments could be reduced to two. When asked today by the Evening World to elucidate, he said:

"The Ten Commandments could be expressed in these two: 'First—thou shalt love thy God with thy whole heart, mind and soul. Second—thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself.'"

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DAVIS RETURNS TO METROPOLIS READY FOR BIG CAMPAIGN

Offensive In New York State Will Be Launched by the Nominee at Address to Be Delivered Tonight.

TWO OTHERS IN NEW YORK CITY

Gov. Al Smith Will Also Speak Tonight at Big Rally—To Speak in Several New Jersey Towns.

(By the Associated Press.) Baltimore, Oct. 2.—The special train bearing John W. Davis, Democratic Presidential nominee and his party left Baltimore shortly after 10 o'clock this morning for New York City. The nominee will launch his first offensive in that state with an address tonight at Madison Square Garden. It will be the first of three he plans to make there. He will speak tonight with Governor Alfred E. Smith, who will inaugurate his campaign for re-election.

Baltimore, Oct. 1.—John W. Davis brought his campaign for the presidency into Maryland today, delivering two addresses, one at Frederick and the other in the Fifth Regiment armory here where Woodrow Wilson first was nominated in 1912.

In making his first invasion of this "border" state at Frederick the Democratic standard bearer speaking before several thousand people from Maryland, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and the District of Columbia on the administration, and made a direct attack on Secretary Mellon in connection with the Aluminum Company, of America, the soldiers' bonus and the Mellon tax plan.

Unreasonable Profits.

Mr. Davis charged that the aluminum, with which he said, Mr. Mellon had identified himself in his recent statement, is profiting largely and unreasonably through legislative favors extended under the Fordney-McCumber tariff.

Mr. Davis also charged the treasury with issuing "wholly varying and irreconcilable estimates of probable surpluses and deficits," at the time when the soldiers' bonus and Mellon tax plans were before Congress.

Mr. Davis declared that the result was "a loss of public confidence in the information given," and added that if Mr. Mellon desired "to regain the confidence of the country he should be more cautious in defending legislative favors enjoyed by his company."

Assailing the administration Mr. Davis said that no one could deny that its "chief characteristic" is silence.

Science Campaign Keynote.

"If scandal break out in the government," he said, "the way to treat them is silence. If petty industries make exorbitant profits under an extortionate tariff the answer is—silence. If the league of nations or foreign powers invite us into conference on questions of world-wide importance, again the answer is—silence. If race and religious prejudice threaten our domestic harmony, the answer is—silence. If a wandering secretary of the navy plans a speaking trip into the west, as soon as the fact is discovered he is brought back to Washington and reduced to—silence.

Freight rates and directions for shipping livestock may be had by any grower on application to V. W. Lewis, livestock marketing.

WHAT SMITTY'S WEATHER CAT SAYS Fair tonight and Friday, slightly warmer in extreme west portion tonight.