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NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

Mr. Louis Cohen Injured By "Unloaded Revolver."

Raleigh, Aug. 23.—There was a commotion on Wilmington street Monday night about 7 o'clock. A pistol shot rang out clear and distinct in one of the stores and a cry of pain, followed by a babel of voices, drew a crowd at once. The opinion was that there was either a big fight on, or a murder, or an attempt at suicide.

In the store Louis Cohen, manager of the Levine Clothing Company, was in a fight, his hand bloody and blood trickling from one of his ears. Among the first men to arrive from the outside was Mr. Frank Wilson, who seeing the condition of Mr. Cohen, immediately secured a bucket of water and with liberal applications was able to revive him.

Then it became known that Mr. Cohen was the victim of an accident of the kind that hangs around with "unloaded" pistols. He was cleaning out his desk and in one of the pigeon-holes was his pistol. He pulled it out and by some mischance the pistol, which he did not know was loaded, caught on a projection and there was an explosion. With the crack of the pistol there was a cry from Mr. Cohen for the bullets ploughed its way through one of his fingers and tipped off a tiny bit of his ear.

A physician was called in and gave Mr. Cohen assistance after he had recovered from his collapse. Later he was taken to his home by Mr. Frank Wilson and is getting along all right. But he will be shy of unloaded pistols for quite a spell, for he had a very narrow escape. This is another warning to beware of the "unloaded" pistol.

(Mr. Louis Cohen is a brother of Mr. Hyman Cohen of this city and he has a host of friends here who will regret to learn of his accident.)

CONGRESSIONAL AGONY IS OVER

Tariff Legislation Blocked By Taft Now But Will Be Taken Up At Regular Session.

Washington, Aug. 23.—The first session of the 62d Congress ended yesterday and immediately the exodus of members began. President Taft joined with several hundred tired legislators in the he-gira and last night official Washington, comparatively, was deserted. Every outgoing train bore senators and representatives on their homeward journey after an extraordinary session that stretched over 121 days and set the liveliest pace of any legislative session in years.

The adjournment was featureless despite the strenuous activity that had gone before. The President vetoed the cotton tariff revision bill, just as he had vetoed its two predecessors, the wool and free list bills. The veto went only to the house, in accordance with custom, and there its reception was marked by Democratic laughter and Republican applause.

Democratic leader Underwood, amid a Democratic demonstration thanked the few Republican members who voted with the Democrats to pass the tariff revision bills. Democrats ran across the aisles to shake hands with the Republican insurgents. The cheering and pounding of desks on the Democratic side were prolonged. As soon as he could be heard, Mr. Underwood announced that as the Democrats did not have the two-thirds majority necessary to pass the bill over the President's veto, he would merely move the printing of the veto and accompanying papers and their reference to the Ways and Means Committee, of which he is the chairman. The house agreed to this fixed course. With the committee the matter will rest until the whole subject of tariff revision legislation is renewed at the regular session of Congress, which will convene on Monday, Dec. 4th.

Everybody was in a happy mood in both houses, but the usual vaudeville proceedings that feature the few minutes following an adjournment of the house for years were missing. The nearest approach was the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" by a group of younger members, led by Heflin, of Alabama; Kinkaid, of New Jersey; Byrnes, of South Carolina, and Garrett, of Tennessee. But their chords did not inspire a common chorus. The galleries in both house and senate were crowded.

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