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READS LIKE FICTION.

Fred Hass, of Omaha, Thinks He Has Found a Long Lost Brother.

THE BOY KIDNAPPED YEARS AGO

By a Man Who Had a Grudge Against the Father.—The Supposed Identification.

CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Aug. 15.—A story which would furnish the foundation for a novel is told by Fred Hass, of Omaha, who a few days ago went to the Black Hills for the purpose of identifying a young man whom he believes to be a younger brother, who slipped from their home in Saunders county, Neb., eighteen years ago. While in the Black Hills, Mr. Hass visited Rapid City and told his remarkable story.

The Hass family during 1876 and 1877 resided in Saunders county, where, some one assumes, his father was the principal witness on the part of the state against a man named Willard Barnes, who was convicted and sent to the state penitentiary for a period of ten years for cutting the throat of a woman. The father of Willard Barnes was considerably wealthy and served the part of man Hass plays in the prosecution of his son, and threatened on more than one occasion to make him (Hass) suffer for the part he took in the prosecution of his boy. Hass had a number of children, and then being a boy something over one year old. One day the little one was kidnaped and for some time no trace of him could be found. Rumors were later circulated to the effect that he had been taken to the Indian Territory and that he had taken the boy and disposed of him to the Indians. Subsequent search revealed the fact that the statement made by Barnes prior to his death was useless to regard as the boy being among the Indians, as it was ascertained, after diligent search, that Barnes had made a trip to Cheyenne, Wyo., immediately after his disappearance of the boy on July 15, 1878 and there disposed of him.

Mr. Hass stated that while in Rapid City on July 12, 1893, he met Johny Hart, who resides on Spring Creek, whom he at once recognized as his long lost brother and so informed him. He says he knew that he had found his brother by a scar on the back of his head, from a bottle. Upon Hart taking off his hat, the scar was found exactly as described by Hass. After questioning Johny about his parents and residence, he became convinced that he had found what he had looked for so many years. He then went to Cheyenne and after diligent inquiries found that John Hart's family resided at Cheyenne at the time his brother was kidnaped and traced to that city, and that Mr. Hart was engaged in freighting in the Black Hills. He traced the family from Cheyenne to Fort Pierre, and back to Spring Creek in the Black Hills, where they located on a ranch in 1879 and have since resided. From neighbors there he learned that the boy was about two years old when the family established their home there. According to the story told by Mr. Hass the boy would now be in his nineteenth year, while Johny Hart says he is but seventeen. The and other things assisted in further corroborating the story. It was agreed between Hass and Hart that the young man should accompany Hass to Crawford, Neb., where the mother of Hass resides, and there learn if possible the truth of the matter.

John Hart, who has acted the part of father to the young man above mentioned, declares that the young man is no son and that there are two women living in his vicinity who know the story before he was taken to wife. Great interest has been created, owing to the peculiarity of the case and the statement of Mr. Hass, a locket forward to with great interest.

An Anarchist Desist.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—An explosion last night in the New Cross post office resulted in a small stationer's store, to which the postoffice is attached. It was caused by gunpowder and chlorate of potash wrapped in a newspaper, and the fuse was alit. On a portion of the paper was written, "In memory of Ravachol, Beardin, Vaillant and Pauin."

Dropped Dead on the Street.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 15.—Dennis Bolton, a pioneer commission merchant, dropped dead on the street here last night, at the age of 70. He came to Birmingham in 1880.

WILL EXPLOIT WOMEN.

New Scheme of Chewing Gum Men to Make Fortunes.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Boasting the brains of very well-dressed, business-like men will visit manufacturers, grocers, drug stores and numerous other houses of reputable establishments and offer for sale a certain kind of gum. They will sell it for a whole year, dealer said to a reporter. "We have contracted to send women through the city introducing our gum. We offer them one do better than men in this line and certainly we will give them a chance."

"Will they peddle it?"

"No, unless they want to, and then we will give them the goods as fast as they handle the security. We think it can, however, induce them out as soldiers and also women traveling within a radius of a mile. They will be given samples and will take orders like women do any 'drummer.' The showing we consider has grown enormously since the last few years and the demand for chewing the stuff has spread from a few girls to all degrees and conditions of men and women. Fortunes have been made in it and many more will be made. The competition is very keen but fairness in the trade are nine-tenths of the battle."

This is the latest. The idea is to employ men and women, either in couples for several months he had a bright young woman on the road selling the product and during the dullest months of last winter when popularity ruled the trade for orders for chewing gum were enormous. We think about women can do what she did and a man can do what some. A man who makes from $20 to $25 a week. A woman earned as better."

"And you are willing to trust them with samples?"

"Yes, some they will chew, sure! We have thought of that and will round them up, and the necessity we shall make our waste."

Enormous Shipments of Fruit.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—Though the fruit canneries are running at their highest speed they are unable to absorb the immense supply of green fruits and enormous shipments are being made to the East as well as to Europe. For the past three weeks one hundred carloads a week have been sent out of Sacramento, while the San Jose district has contributed thirty-five cars each week. The fruit growing are peaches, pears, plums, apricots and nectarines and their shipment will continue until November 30th. Reports from various sections of the state are that the fruit crop is well above, both as to quality and quantity.

The August Meteors.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug., Aug. 15.—The August meteors were very notably observed on the nights of August 9th, 10th and 11th, by Prof. Schaeberle at Mount Hamilton, and Prof. Curtis at the Lick observatory. At both stations the paths of the meteors among the stars were recorded with a view to ascertaining the height above the earth at which these objects become visible. Over 500 meteors were recorded at the two stations. The observations not yet been reduced for the above determination. The meteors seem to be derived from the constellation Auriga, at the Nor and Ability meteors.

JAPAN AND CHINA NEWS.

A Report That the Latter Lost Seven Ships in a Recent Battle.

Neutrality Enjoined Upon British Subjects—A Tycoon Sent Out at Free Gate.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—Private telegrams from Yokohama says that seven Chinese vessels were sunk in the recent engagement with the Japanese. This report lacks confirmation and probably arose from the statement received from Yokohama last night that seven had been received of the battle on the 11th, between the Chinese and Japanese fleets and that the Chinese were driven off. Inquiries at the Japanese legation here fail to obtain confirmation of the report.

A dispatch to the Times from Tien Tsin says the British minister has issued a notice pointing out the neutrality upon the British subjects in the for Kiel during the war between Japan and China.

The French gun boat Lion has arrived at Tien Tsin. It is announced that war ships flying any flag, which attempt to enter the Takutar, will be fired on unless their intended arrival has previously been notified to the officers in command of the fort. The French gunboat Lion will be transmitted at the waterfall which is reported to have been present at the taking of the transport Kow Shing, and important evidence is expected from her commander.

GOVERNMENT REVENUES.

The Estimated Revenue Under the New Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—A letter from Secretary Carlisle to Senator Harris reviews the condition of the treasury and the estimated revenues of the government for the next fiscal year. The figures show that under the tariff bill just sent to the President, the revenues would exceed the expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895, by $15,000,000. The revenues from the sugar duty Carlisle has placed at $7,000,000, from coal, iron ore and carbon wire, $1,000,000. If the house bills were passed there would, Carlisle says, be a deficiency next year of $10,000,000.

The platform adopts Illinois opposition to the various system of class legislation called protection; approves the efforts of President Cleveland and Senators Voorhees and Turpie to redeem the pledges of the last Democratic convention; condemns the course of the Republican party and the small contents of senators, who masquerading as Democrats, by threats of defeat of all tariff legislation, have temporarily prevented the Democratic party from carrying out its pledges;" enumerates the benefits to the masses, the reduction of government, and the repeal of the obnoxious income clause of the Sherman legislation.

Democratic Convention.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 15.—The largest convention in the history of the Democratic party of Indiana convened at 10 o'clock today. There were 1,747 delegates present. Chairman Taggart introduced Governor Matthews as permanent chairman, who was received with loud cheers. Matthews made a strong speech in which he declared that Democrats were willing to redeem as rapidly as possible. The platform adopts the Wilson bill and the Democratic party was colored of silver.

Gen. Ziegler's Record.

BROOKLYN, Conn., Aug. 15.—Gen. Ziegler, of Canterbury, today rode his mare, Lady Jane, drag start, in 2:30 1-2, beating the record by seconds. The ladies were regularly appointed as Ziegler's last mount for record. At last amount wholesale cards Hill and Tyler are here for the race which will begin tomorrow. Today most of the visiting trotters took long runs in the surrounding country.

THE GREAT STRIKE.

Investigation By the Appointed Commissioners.

THE CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE

As Told By Mr. Howard, Vice President of the American Railway Union.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—The strike commission appointed by President Cleveland to investigate the Pullman and railroad strikes began work today. Vice President Howard, of the A. R. U., was the first witness. He expressed the hope that the commission would use every effort to get to the bottom of the matter under consideration. Commissioner Kernan assured him that the investigation would be thorough.

"Now," said the commissioner, "tell us what, in your opinion, caused the railroad strike."

"The strikes were caused," answered Howard, "by the statement of the general managers that they would back up Pullman during the strike."

Howard then entered into an extensive recital of the trouble leading up to the strike of the Pullman strike. The men had announced their intention to strike, but on being assured by the company's officials that the employes' grievances would be investigated, he urged the men to go back to work. This they did on the promise of the company that the committees who had caused the trouble would not be discharged or otherwise injured, because of the part they had taken.

"And after that promise," continued Howard, "three of those committees were discharged. Then the men struck. Our union, after having failed to get any satisfaction from the Pullman company, endeavored by boycotting the company's cars to bring the matter to a satisfactory termination. We ordered no strike. We simply desired that the Pullman cars be left off the trains. At this point we were met by the General Managers' association. They refused to handle mail cars until the Pullman cars attached to the trains. Such action was entirely unasked for. The Pullmans were in no way necessary for the transmission of the United States mails."

The Evicted Tenants Bill.

DUBLIN, Aug. 15.—The Freeman's Journal commenting upon the evicted tenants bill, rejected by the House of Lords last night, urges Ireland to resent this "intolerable insult."

"Peace cannot be longer preached to the evicted tenants," the article continues. "Now is the time for the people to make their power felt in strong, united action. Justice and mercy fail to move the Irish landlords. Their villainous plans is sent. Let the exercise of public opinion be applied in a practical form."

TOLD IN A DREAM.

It Leads to the Discovery of a Mental Murder.

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 15.—A local attorney has completed some depositions in a case that is far beyond the ordinary. Years ago two sons and one daughter of Mrs. Kroskowsky, a resident of Poseo, came to this city where they were respectable people. Four years ago the mother mysteriously disappeared from Poseo, and word was sent her heirs here that the estate had been totally dissipated and the little girl was in the possession of Brooksey Gardner, a son-in-law of the missing woman. A year ago Mrs. Noesel dreamed that she saw Gardner kill her mother and bury her. Her made inquiries by letters and started an investigation that resulted in the placing of suspicion on Gardner. There was no tangible evidence until a few weeks ago, when workmen were engaged in excavating for a building. They came upon a mutilated body that was identified as that of the missing woman and Gardner was arrested. The boy was identified by two wounds which it was believed the accused had inflicted while the woman was alive.

Came Back a Corpse.

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 15.—A team belonging to Pat Conner, a livery stable keeper at Rochester, came into the stable yard with the body of Nellie Jungles, aged 15, sitting in the buggy alongside. Arthur McLean, 17, who had been riding with the girl, and shot her.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Share speculation was weak at the opening under bear selling. Sugar advanced 1, then declined 1.

Later material advances were recorded, tobacco selling up 2, sugar 1½, lead 1½. About 10:30 there was a rally of selling. Sugar broke 1 per cent.

ANARCHISTS IN CHICAGO.

An Organization for the Purpose of Destroying Property.

CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—The Times-Herald says: A secret society of anarchists has been formed in this city, organized to carry out the principles of anarchy, destroy property and for revenge from contrabands. Seven people were today held to await the grand jury's action. They are: Carl Hoelin, Mrs. Carl Hoelin, August Selmer, William Seibert, John Hansen, August Sinnosky, John Sassen, Mary Barry constructed bombs have been found, were attached to delicate clock work.

THE TARIFF ON ALCOHOL.

A Senate Amendment to the Bill to Be Changed.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—National Revenue Commissioner Miller was at the Capitol today seeing Mr. Wilson concerning what may be an alternating compilation to the extension of the new revenue tax on alcohol. A Senate amendment was inserted in the tariff bill, making alcohol free of tax when used in arts, in medical preparations or for compounds.

"Roughly estimated," said Miller, "the tax would reduce the revenue about $6,000,000 or $7,000,000 annually.

"The provision is to meet the small manufacturers of bitters. It would be necessary merely to put a little bitters in a factory or Jamaica ginger in it. Whisky, to let it escape all revenue taxes."

Chairman Wilson has been approached by the wayside brewers with notice to oversight the tariff. The bill will be given a special rule by filing it for a speedy reading. A bill to repeal the change will be made without trouble so far as the House is concerned.

THE HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—The House received from senate concurrent the resolution of the tariff bill without demonstration.

The conferees on the sundry civil bill were instructed to further disagree.

Representative Hitch, of Ills., introduced a resolution to report a bill for the use of silver to the Treasury.

Another Record Broken.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 15.—S. L. Bilstead and Fred C. Fletcher have broken the 300 mile road record, riding the course between Buffalo and Erie and return in 11 hours, 38 minutes, 30 seconds. The last time previously stood was 17 hours, 5 minutes.

THE OMAHA STRIKE.

All But the Cattle Handlers Return to Work.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 15.—The American Federation of Labor, Coopers' union and Hog Butchers' union will this afternoon declare the strike off at South Omaha packing houses. The cattle handlers are still out and Sieling Eng, declare they will win, but the outlook for them is hopeless. Fifteen of their best men deserted today.

Postponed the Race.

FRESH WATER, Isle of Wight, Aug. 15.—The match between the Vigilant and the Britannia was postponed indefinitely this morning, as the sale made it impossible for the yachts to put to sea.

The interest in the yacht racing is declining. In the first race today the Cuffins sailed over the course alone and the Morvia did the same.

NO TRUTH IN IT.

A Rumor Reflecting on Royalty Denied.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—A letter signed by Francis Knollys, K. C. M. G., one of the grooms in waiting upon the Prince of Wales, dated Marlborough house, is re-published today, saying that the Prince of Wales directs him to say that there is not a shadow of foundation for the report that the Duke of York was married previous to the union with Princess May of Teck. The letter adds that the story of a previous marriage was obviously invented to cause pain and annoyance to the royal couple.

Republicans Meet.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Aug. 15.—Before the convening of the Republican state convention this morning, the Kansas City delegation in caucus adopted a resolution declaring for Colonel L. H. Waters for temporary chairman. Major Warner's name is not being mentioned. Chauncey I. Filley and Major Warner were heartily cheered upon entering the building. Although both asserted that the convention would be harmonious, several fights were known to be on the tapis.

After much wrangling, Colonel Warner was finally declared upon for temporary chairman. Colonel Waters will be made permanent chairman.

There were 900 delegates present at noon when the convention was called to order. Chairman Rothwell presented Col. Warner, who formerly assigned the Democratic party for stifling down the industries of the country and debasing silver.

THE TARIFF BILL.

It is Taken to the Senate and Signed by the Vice President.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—At 12:15 the clerk of the House brought to the Senate the tariff bill.

At 12:27 p. m., the Vice President signed the bill.

SENT TO THE WHITE HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Representative Pearson, chairman of the House committee on enrolled bills, left the Capitol at 1 p.m. for the White House, carrying the tariff bill, which he will put in the President's possession as early as possible.

The bills to place coal, iron ore and barbed wire on the free list were read. Then Harris had a letter read, received from secretary Carlisle, concerning the effect of the proposed bills upon the revenues.

Berry called up the free sugar bill. Harris, while favoring free sugar, thought this and the other bills should be referred to the finance committee.

Berry said the Senate had been charged with being the friend of the sugar trust. He wanted the bill to pass exactly as it came from the House.

Harris said an early report should be made by the committee.

At this point Cockrell presented the conference report on the general deficiency bill. The only dispute was on $1,500,000 for Stockton war claims, to which the House conferees agree.

He moved that the Senate insist on the point.

Sherman moved that the Senate recede from its amendment, but his motion was lost and the report carried.

Cockrell presented the conference report on the sundry civil bill. It was agreed to.

Vest resumed his speech on Harris's motion to take the free sugar and other bills to the finance committee. He said it would kill the bills, the committee was politician's lie, with the prospect of the disappearance of a quorum within a few days. He declared the position of the Senate on had been vindicated by the letter of Secretary Carlisle, who proved conclusively that if the House bill had been enacted it would have created a deficiency of $30,000,000. He showed that the power of the sugar trust was the result of the bolstering by the provisions of the McKinley bill.

Representative Pearson delivered the tariff bill to Private Secretary Thurber at 1:15 p. m.

GIGANTIC SWINDLE.

Prominent Citizens the Willing Dupes of First Water Bunco Sharps.

THEY PUT UP OVER $12,000

Good Work on the Part of the Police Bring Joy Back to Their Sorrow and Lands Their Thieves in Jail.

On Saturday last the News published a brief item showing how Andy Dysart had become the victim of a bet and arrow, for out and how he got lost a small amount of cash in the transaction. The publication of the article caused a veritable bonet to go up from a number of prominent gentlemen who were willing to make their money and their money—as subsequent events have shown they did—that everything was on the "level square." They were indignant beyond bounds and declared that the item as it appeared in the paper would upon the "whole scheme" and that they would be out to the time of their cause.

Well, did they? The plan had been so of doing the job of a large amount of cash to men who were the willing, even anxious dupes of the cleverest gang of swindling operators who ever preyed upon a lot of benefited it has resulted in the saving of thousands of dollars to them which otherwise would go to those of the gang.

The scheme, it carried to its final conclusion would have taken over $12,000 from the pockets of the Salt Lakers and transferred that amount to the coffers of the conspirators, who are the officers, say M. D. Walz, the artist jailer, who acted as financial secretary, treasurer and banker, S. Lafayette, Ed. Wells, alias Harry Fury, Dan Quinlan, Charlie Steele and one or two others. It was proposed that there was to be a big shooting contest at Calvin's Park, at an early hour this morning between Lafayette and Fury, the latter to shoot with a rifle and the latter with a bow and arrow. Money to the amount mentioned was put up as the result on the modern William Tell. The winner was to take the whole purse, and it was to be so arranged that not a cent of it would find its way elsewhere than into the possession of the gang. The agreement was as follows:

This agreement was made and entered into this 13th day of August, A. D., 1894, by and between S. Lafayette, party of the first part, and Al Woods, party of the second part, by his agent W. M. Fitzgerald, mutually constituted and appointed for the purpose of making arrangements herein set forth, witnesses:

That the said parties to this contract agree to meet on a contest of shooting match to take place on the second or third days from the date of this agreement, at some place in Salt Lake county, to be hereafter designated and agreed upon by and between them according to the terms and conditions following, namely: That said S. Lafayette, party of the first part, shall shoot with a bow and arrow, and the said Al Woods, party of the second part, shall shoot with a rifle, which rifle shall be loaded with a single ball only. It is also agreed by the parties to this contract that the said S. Lafayette shall have the privilege of selecting or choosing the object to be shot at and the distance, and that both, the bow and arrows and the rifle and cartridges used in the contest shall be thoroughly examined by a committee of three and none none be approved of the same or of a majority thereof. The parties above mentioned hereby consent and agree that M. F. Wells shall act as judge and that W. M. Tidy and E. E. Fletcher shall act as referees and shall constitute the committee of three to be chosen by mutual consent, inability or refusal of either one or more of them to act on such committee, in which event the said parties to this contract shall select another in his place or choosing such other parties to act in the place and stead of those who declined to serve on said committee, who in turn shall be governed by the rules and regulations of Hoyle, and shall be final to all the parties to the agreement and between the parties to this contract, in the case there shall be a tie, the stakes are to be equally divided between the parties to this contract, and shall be paid to the winner or winners of the contest, provided that to the choosing of the tie, in case there should be a tie, the said S. Lafayette before mentioned shall be entitled and have permission to select or choose the object to be shot at, and upon so doing to submit a statement to the effect that one suspended or otherwise, according to the Sioux or choice of the said Lafayette. It is further understood by and between the parties to this agreement that the sum of two thousand dollars shall be posted by each of them in the hands of M. D. Walz, who is hereby appointed by the parties to this agreement as the stakeholder, the said sum of which, five thousand dollars in all, shall be given to the winner or winners, or what shall be deemed by the committee, as the winner, and in case of a tie,