

YESTERDAY IN CONGRESS

By the Associated Press

Washington, Feb. 22.—The day in congress.

Senate.

Met at 11 a. m. Senator Root read Washington's farewell address.

Conference on the seamen's bill opposed all differences between house and senate.

Debate was resumed on the army appropriation bill.

House.

Met at 11 a. m. Representative Garrett of Tennessee, read Washington's farewell address.

Debate was resumed on the house appropriation bill.

The ways and means committee put action on the repeal of the tax on mixed flour until Wednesday.

Adjourned at 5:40 p. m., to 11 a. m., Tuesday.

Senate.

Indian appropriation bill reported.

Recessed at 5:30 p. m., until 11 a. m., Tuesday.

ALBERT SIDNEY JOHNSTON'S SLAYER DIES AT HOME IN STATE OF ILLINOIS

By the Associated Press

Princeton, Ind., Feb. 22.—John M. Willman, who in his lifetime declared he fired the shot which killed the Confederate General Albert Sidney Johnston at the battle of Shiloh, died Sunday at his home in Mount Carmel, Ill., near here.

Willman, a member of the Forty-eighth Illinois regiment, fired at a mounted officer in the Confederate lines and saw the man sway in his saddle. Later he learned that the bullet had found a mark in the body of the famous Confederate general, who bled to death.

PRESIDENT NAMES TRADE COMMISSION

THREE DEMOCRATS AND TWO PROGRESSIVES WILL CONSTITUTE THE NEW TRIBUNAL

By the Associated Press

Washington, Feb. 22.—President Wilson today, five months after the enactment of the federal trade commission law, sent to the senate the names of the five men nominated to constitute that commission. Whether the nominations can be confirmed by March 4 was regarded as problematical.

The three Democrats named by the president are Joseph E. Davies of Madison, Wis., now corporation commissioner, to serve seven years, Edward N. Hurley of Chicago, for six years, and Wm. J. Harris of Cedartown, Ga., for five years. The other nominees are Will H. Parry of Seattle, a Progressive-Republican, named for four years, and George Rublee of Cornish, N. H., regarded as a Progressive, for three years.

Senator Nowlands, chairman of the interstate commerce committee, to which the nominations were referred, said he would call the committee tomorrow and he thought the confirmation of all the nominees would be recommended within a few days.

MUTILATED BODY OF M. ROSENBERG TELLS STORY OF ANOTHER BRUTAL MURDER

CORPSE, WITH HEAD BATTERED ALMOST BEYOND RECOGNITION, FOUND NEAR YSLETA WITH POCKETS RIFLED AND VALUABLE DIAMONDS MISSING; MYSTERY SHROUDS DEATH OF WEALTHY WHOLESALE JUNK DEALER WHO DISAPPEARED FROM HIS ESTABLISHMENT LAST THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Search for the mutilated Maurice Rosenberg, which has engaged almost the entire line of the detective department since Friday morning last, was ended yesterday morning when the badly mutilated body of the missing man was found near the bank of the Rio Grande, a short distance from Ysleta.

The grisly discovery was made by Dan Carr, a ranchman living in the vicinity, who at once notified the sheriff's office.

Chief Deputy Stanley Good, with Coroner Murphy at once hurried to the scene, where a gruesome sight awaited them.

Body Almost Covered With Earth.

The body lay close to an irrigation ditch which was being prepared for the spring water and had been almost covered with dirt thrown up by the workmen on the inside of the bank and by the dust hurled by the high winds of Sunday. The high wind and the rain had also obliterated all trace of a struggle though the condition of the clothing indicated that the unfortunate man had made desperate resistance when attacked by the assassin.

The head and face were beaten almost beyond recognition, the attack evidently having been made with a heavy club or a clubbed revolver. There was no evidence of bullet or knife wounds.

CHITWOOD BENEFIT FUND PERFORMANCE ON MONDAY NIGHT

Arrangements for the benefit performance for the fund for the widow and orphans of Gus Chitwood, the policeman who on Saturday, February 13, met death at the hands of a negro desperado, were completed yesterday. The entertainment will be given at the Mills street auditorium, Monday evening, March 1.

The use of the auditorium, which has a seating capacity of 1,500, was donated by H. Melvin, the owner, as his personal contribution to the noble cause of the loved ones of the fearless officer who paid with his life for his devotion to his sworn duty.

Seats for the performance may be had from the police officers, the price being fixed at \$1.50 for the more desirable locations and \$1.00 for the balance of the house. The members of the department, almost without exception, have each agreed to take ten tickets which they will dispose of among their friends, which, with the demand that may be expected from those who believe El Paso should recognize the worth of the man who died in its service by helping to see that his loved ones are made free from want in their hour of sorrow, insures that the entire 1,500 tickets will be sold long before the date of the performance.

The program, which is now being arranged, promises to be one well worthy of the noble cause in which it is given. Offers of service from entertainers of note poured in to the Morning Times yesterday and many more are expected today so that there will be no dearth of talent, and the selection of the program bids fair to be merely a process of elimination in order to secure a well balanced bill and an evening such as has seldom been the good fortune of an El Paso audience to enjoy. The matter of the selection of the entertainers has been placed in capable hands so that those who attend may be assured in addition to a consciousness of having helped in a noble cause, they will receive full value, and more than full value, in the quality of entertainment presented.

Aside from the benefit entertainment feature the fund for the murdered officer's family is steadily increasing from private contributions made through the police officers and through the Morning Times. A number of contributions were received yesterday and these will be duly acknowledged through the columns of this paper from time to time.

Meanwhile, those interested in the fund are invited to stop the first policeman they meet, who will be only too pleased to supply them with a ticket for the benefit performance.

NATIONAL DEFENSE ABSORBS CONGRESS

APPROPRIATIONS OF THAT NATURE OCCUPIED BOTH BRANCHES OF THE LAW-MAKING BODY MONDAY.

Senate discussed bill in late afternoon.

EL PASO MORNING TIMES

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...would be recommended within a few days. Opposition to some of the clauses, however, is expected at the White House. Senator Sherman of Illinois recently attacked Mr. Hurley as one of the men who "lobbied" in Washington while the tariff bill was pending and some Republicans are said to be dissatisfied by no regular Republican being named.

The broad purpose of the commission as provided in the act is to prevent persons, partnerships or corporations, except banks and common carriers, from using unfair methods of competition in commerce. Whenever the commission has reason to believe that any unfair method of competition is being used, it is authorized to issue a complaint against the suspected offender and fix a time for a hearing. Individuals or corporations so cited are given the right to show why an order should not be issued prohibiting such violations.

EVELYN DISASTER UNDER DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY BRYAN HOLD CONFERENCE, BUT NO PLAN OF ACTION IS AGREED UPON.

Bryan Cables American Minister in Holland Asking Every Care Be Extended Crew and the Facts Be Investigated.

By the Associated Press

Washington, Feb. 22.—President Wilson conferred with Secretary Bryan today concerning the destruction of the American steamer Evelyn off the coast of Germany last Friday; but in the absence of definite information as to the cause of the wreck, no course of action beyond diplomatic inquiries was decided upon.

Having learned unofficially that a part of the Evelyn's crew was cast adrift from the sinking vessel, headed for the coast of Holland, Secretary Bryan called to American Minister Henry Van Dyke at The Hague the same message he previously had sent to Ambassador Page and Gerard at London and Berlin, asking that every care be extended to the crew and an investigation of the facts of the occurrence be made through all available agencies.

NOTHING IS KNOWN OF EVELYN'S CREW

By the Associated Press

The Hague, Feb. 22.—(Via London.)—Inquiries of the coast guard stations in north Holland have brought the report that nothing has been seen or heard of the crew of the American steamer Evelyn, who were reported to have proceeded for Holland after the steamer was blown up. A very dense fog prevailed throughout yesterday and today along the coast.

The Dutch marine department is also without information concerning the missing men of the Evelyn's crew.

BRITISH ADVICE CAUSED DISASTER

By the Associated Press

Berlin, Feb. 22.—(Via London to Sayville.)—According to advice received here, Captain Smith of the American steamer Evelyn, has informed the German authorities that his ship came to grief through the advice of a British naval boarding officer, who instructed him to follow the course on which he struck the mines instead of the northerly course as laid down in the German instructions.

The disaster occurred at 4 o'clock Friday morning and the Evelyn sank seven hours later. Captain Smith, a Dutch pilot and thirteen men drifted in a rowboat until Saturday afternoon when they were rescued by a German patrol boat. A Spanish steamer in the rowboat died meanwhile from exposure. The other men in the boat are all recovering. They are now at the sailors' home in Bremerhaven.

The mate and the remainder of the Evelyn's crew are understood to have landed in Holland.

clubbed revolver. There was no evidence of bullets or knife wounds.

Pockets of Victim Filled

The pockets of the dead man had been turned inside out and the diamond ring, watch and diamond studded watch fob, worn by the victim when he left his establishment in company with a stranger Thursday afternoon, were missing. A diamond-set collar button and a pair of sleeve links, each of which contained a small diamond, had evidently been overlooked by the murderer, being found still in their places. The missing jewels comprise a large ring with three valuable stones, a pearl stickpin, a gold watch, with a diamond set in the case, and the diamond-studded fob.

Mexican Money Left With Corpse

A roll of Villa currency, believed to have belonged to the dead man, was found beside the corpse.

The body was so mutilated and covered with earth that it was not at once recognized as that of the missing wholesale junk dealer, but later when it was removed to an undertaking establishment and cared for, Harry Rosenberg was allowed to view the body and at once identified it as that of his missing brother.

Case Presents Baffling Mystery

The murder of Maurice Rosenberg is one of the most baffling mysteries ever presented to the local authorities for solution. Rosenberg, a wealthy wholesale junk dealer, spent Thursday at his establishment, First and Celma streets, attending to business, as usual.

Shortly before 3 o'clock in the evening a stranger called, introducing himself as a friend of the proprietor's brother, who on that day was in Fort Worth on business. The two men talked for some little time and employees of the place paid only casual attention to them. One man in the place remembers that the stranger mentioned a quantity of hides he had for sale and invited Rosenberg to accompany him in an automobile to inspect them.

Drove Away With Stranger

Rosenberg entered the car and with the stranger at the steering wheel, drove away. That was the last seen of him alive.

When he failed to return to the home of his brother, 225 Montana street, relatives became anxious, as deceased was a man of regular habits and the nature of his business required him to almost constantly carry a considerable sum of ready cash.

Police Notified Friday Morning

Shortly after midnight the police were notified and Captain Green detailed men on the case. When no trace was found of the missing man the matter was turned over to the detective department. This was Friday morning. Since that time the search has been unceasing and painstaking.

Victims Visited Juarez

The fact that Rosenberg had visited Juarez Thursday night was established and also the probability that he had returned to his establishment late that night. Beyond this nothing could be learned of the missing man's movements nor of the identity of the man who drove him away and who, there is reason to believe, lured him to his death in the lonely spot on the river bank. The condition of the corpse indicates that death occurred probably Friday morning before daylight.

Investigation at the scene of the tragedy threw no light on the mystery. None of the workmen on the ditch remembered seeing Rosenberg nor did any of them recollect seeing an automobile in the vicinity.

There was no trace of tracks of the car, but this would be accounted for by the heavy rain and the wind that followed the downpour.

No Description of Stranger

Workmen at the Rosenberg establishment were at a loss to describe the stranger who accompanied their employer on the fatal trip, but one man remembered or thought he remembered, the number of the car. This, investigation later disclosed, was a number issued for a motorcycle which was still in the possession of its rightful owner, proving either the workman was mistaken or the car carried a false number.

Victim Leaves Widow and Brother

Rosenberg, who was considered wealthy, was 38 years of age and a native of California, whose well known in Oakland, where he was formerly in business. He is survived by his wife, who is at present visiting relatives in New York, and who has been notified of the tragic death of her husband. The couple have no children.

H. Rosenberg, brother of deceased, is a resident of this city.

Senate Discusses Until a Late Hour; The Army Appropriation Bill, While the House Considered Fortifications.

By the Associated Press

Washington, Feb. 22.—Appropriations for national defense occupied the attention of both houses of congress today in the general rush to clear up the supply bills for the government, before adjournment. The senate discussed until late tonight, the army appropriation bill, carrying approximately \$100,000,000, while the house continued debate on the fortifications bill.

While progress was being made on both these measures, the senate committee completed consideration of the naval appropriation measure and the senate passed for four minutes, to pass without debate, the pension bill carrying \$104,000,000.

Increases for submarines and aviation over provisions of the house bill, are proposed by the senate naval committee, its amendments including \$1,000,000 for aviation, instead of \$300,000 as authorized in the house bill, provision for six sea-going submarines instead of one, and sixteen instead of twenty of the smaller submarines.

Senator School sought unsuccessfully to provide for fifty of the larger and twenty of the smaller submarines. Notwithstanding the progress on appropriations in the senate, there were indications that not all the bills could be passed, although no attempt was made to renew the ship purchase bill fight. Several Democratic senators said they feared it might be necessary to adopt some emergency rule during the closing hours of the session.

So far as the ship bill is concerned, nothing has been done by the conferees.

Considerable discussion preceded consideration of the army bill, to urging prompt action. Senator Chamberlain explained the absence of provision for reorganization of the army, with the statement that the shortness of the session would not permit proper consideration.

Many speeches were made in the house on the fortifications bill. Representative Fortney, of Michigan, Republican, predicted that next year the administration would have to enact a so-called war tax revenue measure, issue bonds as in 1916, increase tariff rates, or materially reduce government expenditures. Representative Moore of Pennsylvania, referring to the sinking of the steamer Evelyn, said she went into forbidden waters at the risk of the United States government, because she was insured by the war risk board. Representative Johnson of South Carolina, Democrat, deprecated war scare talk in the newspapers. Representative Wendell of Wyoming, expressed regret that some people indulged in "treasonable baiting of foreign peoples by continually proclaiming the probability or certainty of an armed struggle, near or remote, with Japan."

Representatives Miller of Minnesota, and Gardner of Massachusetts, Republicans, urged more adequate military preparation. At the night session the senate naval committee submitted its report on the appropriation bill, carrying a total of \$152,961,681.88, an increase over the house bill of \$8,313,000.

The naval building program of the senate bill would provide for five sea-going submarines, 16 smaller submarines, six or more destroyers, one oil fuel ship, one gunboat, one hospital ship, at \$500,000, and two first class battleships. Among the increases recommended are \$500,000 for a projectile plant; \$120,000 for naval reserve; \$200,000 for a high power radio station, and \$1,000,000 to be applied on construction of an armor plate factory, not to cost to exceed \$8,000,000, if the secretary of the navy cannot purchase armor in the market at a reasonable price.

Debate on the army bill was resumed after the naval bill was reported.

BLANKET OF WET SNOW COVERS PORTION OF KANSAS AND OKLAHOMA

By the Associated Press

Kansas City, Feb. 22.—A blanket of wet snow, from two to eight inches in depth, covers a central and eastern Kansas and northern Oklahoma tonight and a heavy fall continues over the greater part of the district.

Traffic is being greatly impeded with and many points in Kansas were entirely cut off from wire communication.

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THREE MORE REPORTED CAPTURED

By the Associated Press
Salt Lake City, Feb. 22.—Following telegrams from Lorenza H. Cr Utah, was rec afternoon:

"Last report captured. Possession on his way promises information paired. He with Cook, strict attorney Mead. He den local posse a team for Cook and my day until we here. Show office advised."

A telephone Redd, cashier advised that there today phone wires Posay's band down but the store connected at Grayson's posse seized readily. He said the believe the find there are enough to defend the off the retreat try to escape the Indians a friendly to it not join the "Old Posse."

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Party of Five

By the Associated Press
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