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LEGAL ACTION TO BE TAKEN AGAINST THE BASS FAMILY

Members of the Englebert Family State That They Will Prefer Assault and Battery Charges.

CLAIM YOUNG MAN WAS DRAGGED INTO HOUSE

Allegation Made by Young Man's Family That He Was Given a Severe Beating—A Peculiar Case.

Affidavits charging Miss Isabel Bass, Ellsworth Bass and Mr. and Mrs. William C. Bass with assault and battery on Arthur Englebert, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Englebert, Friday morning at the Bass homestead, 301 Richmond avenue, will be filed with Prosecuting Attorney Ladd, according to a statement made by Mr. and Mrs. Englebert when seen at their home last evening. The affidavits would have been filed Friday afternoon, if Arthur Englebert had had his way, but was advised by his parents to leave the matter drop and avoid the publicity, but since publicity has been given the affair, Arthur Englebert, supported by his parents, will prosecute the case.

It was stated by Ellsworth Bass to the Palladium yesterday afternoon that Miss Isabel Bass, his sister, was the only one who assaulted Englebert. However, Arthur Englebert told his mother Friday morning, following his recovery from the wounds which he received, that not only did Miss Bass horsewhip him, but that the other members of the Bass family also took a hand in the affair.

Hunt Camphor Bottle.

It is asserted by the boy's parents that Mr. Mr. Bass awakened a neighbor Friday morning and asked for a camphor bottle, saying they had a man at their house who had fainted. Mr. Englebert said that a teamster living near the Bass homestead had his blacksmith taken and the weapon used by Miss Isabel Bass was the one which belonged to him. The teamster bought a new whip the next morning and did not know who had his whip until a member of the Bass family returned it the next day, according to the story told Mr. Englebert by the teamster.

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"On Thursday night Arthur told me that as he was coming home, Ellsworth was lying on a stone wall and just as he was about to pass, Ellsworth jumped up and grabbed him. Arthur told me that Ellsworth dragged him to his home. Arthur said when he and Ellsworth reached the Bass front door, Ellsworth opened it and four jumped at him. Arthur told me that they dragged him in the house and threw him on the floor and beat him until he was unconscious.

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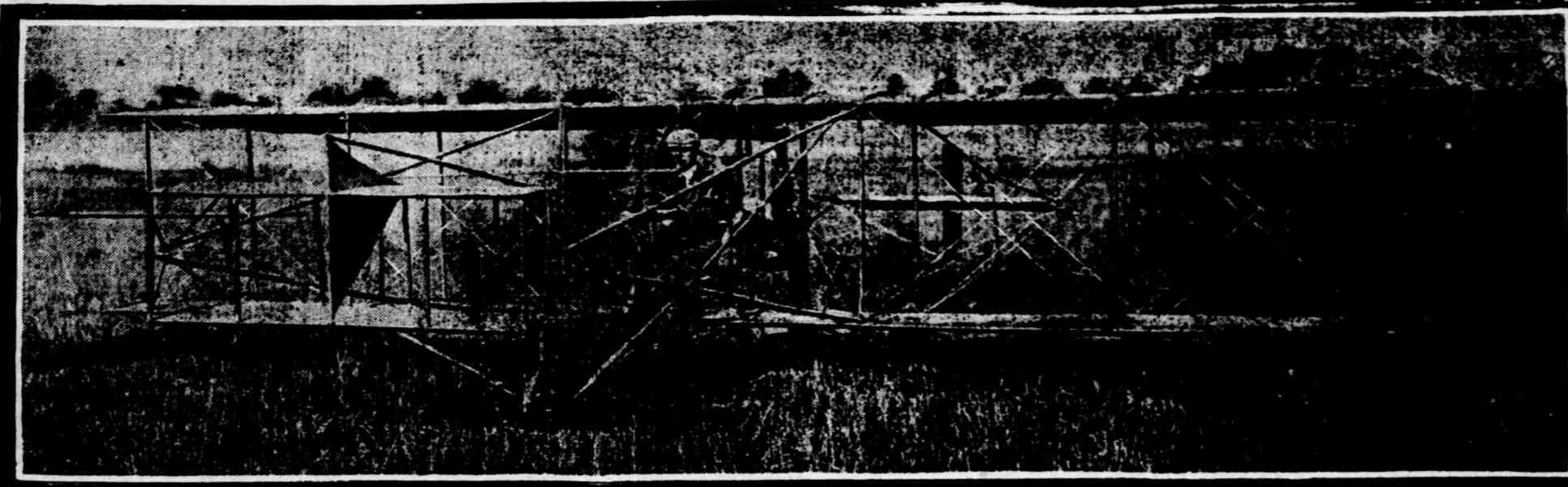
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Mr. Englebert then said that he met Mr. Haseltine the next morning and talked over the assault with him. Mr. Englebert said, "Mr. Haseltine said to me that my son was lying on a couch and I took a damp cloth and wiped off his face. Arthur looked awful." Mr. Haseltine said to me.

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Machine In Which Curtiss Won International Honors



MARK VERY GLAD BURDEN OF STATE LIFTED FROM HIM

Col. Thistleton Heaved a Sigh of Relief When Governor Marshall Got Back on Job Again.

BUSHELS OF LETTERS FOR THE EXECUTIVE

Communications Ranged From Summons by U. S. Supreme Court to Invitation to the Fall Festival.

Indianapolis, Ind., September 4.—Although the business of the governor's office was well taken care of during the governor's absence on his four weeks vacation trip, and all of the important matters were disposed of by his secretary, Col. Mark Thistleton, there were nevertheless hundreds of letters awaiting him on his return, and most of them were invitations to make speeches. Of course, invitations did not constitute the entire bunch of mail, for there were many other things besides these.

The top of the heap on the governor's desk was a summons for him to appear before the supreme court of the United States and show sufficient reason why a judgment against the Pennsylvania railroad should not be corrected, pursuant to a writ of error. The case is one arising from a decision of the Indiana railroad commission which has reached the supreme court on appeal. The governor will be represented in the case by the attorney general.

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IS NOT A MONOPOLY

Brooklyn Justice Rules on the New York Stock Exchange.

LONG FIGHT IS NOW ENDED

(American News Service)

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 4.—That the New York stock exchange is not a monopoly in the eyes of the law that may operate in restraint of trade is the decision of Justice Crane of the supreme court of Brooklyn, who handed down a decision refusing to grant an injunction asked for restraining the New York stock exchange from enforcing a resolution recently adopted by its board of governors, forbidding members of the exchange from dealing with members of the Consolidated Exchange on pain of eviction or suspension.

The decision is regarded as a victory for the New York stock exchange in a long fight with the Consolidated Exchange. Arguments on the test case on which the decision was rendered were heard on August 3.

TAFT AUTO SPEEDER

Some Jay Constables Hold Him Up For Hitting the High Places.

WERE GREATLY ABASHED

(American News Service)

Beverly, Mass., Sept. 4.—Constables who came into town today to attend court told how they captured President Taft over-speeding his automobile into their auto trap in the town of Newbury, yesterday afternoon and stopped him. When they found out it was the president whom they had captured they allowed him to go on without summoning him to court. President Taft, Mrs. Taft, Helen and Robert Taft and Captain Butt were in the automobile with the chauffeur. They came from Beverly on their way to Haverhill to see Justice Wm. H. Moody of the Supreme Court of the United States who is ill. They used the state highway. In the town of Newbury there is an automobile trap one-eighth of a mile long. A constable stood at the entrance of the trap with his watch in his hand. President Taft was going too fast, so Constable Jacques signalled Constable Sanborn down the road to stop the automobile. It stopped. When the constables found out it was the President the automobile proceeded to Haverhill.

A \$25,000 REWARD

(American News Service)

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 4.—A reward of \$25,000 for the arrest and conviction of the persons guilty of wrecking the Baltimore and Ohio Royal Blue New York and Chicago flyer at Cheyenne, Pa., 46 miles west of this city last midnight by General Superintendent Finney of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad this morning. The reward was authorized by Vice President and General Manager George L. Potter, of Baltimore.

WAS IT INCENDIARY?

A fire, believed to have been of incendiary origin, broke out in a store room of the Windsor hotel on North E street last night at about 10:30 o'clock and caused considerable excitement in that vicinity for a few minutes. A telephone call was sent in and the No. 1 hose company quickly responded. A quantity of old carpet and rags was burned but the flames were put out by the use of chemicals before any damage of consequence was done.

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FIERCE TORTURE GIVEN CAPTIVES

Tales of Brutal Practices by Moroccans Are Being Received.

VIOLATE POWERS DECREE

TWO HUNDRED PRISONERS, HALF NAKED AND TIED BY THE NECKS, WERE DRAGGED BEFORE SAVAGE SULTAN.

(American News Service)

London, Sept. 4.—While Sultan Muhammed Hafid of Morocco has bowed to the decree of the powers that he cease torturing his foes, the remnants of the band led by El Roghi, the details of the terrible measures visited upon his captives did not come fully to light until today. A dispatch from an eyewitness was received by a London newspaper and contained the following information:

In the morning, after prayer, all the troops paraded in the court in front of the palace and Mulai Hafid and the viziers appeared. Two hundred prisoners, half naked and tied together by the necks, were dragged before the sultan.

At the same time baskets full of heads and 32 women, said to be the harem of the pretender, El Roghi, were brought in together with several ancient and rusty cannon, the pretender's state tent, his "imperial" umbrella, his throne—a ragged and soiled affair in crimson velvet—and some mules and Spanish cows—trophies of war.

Heads on the Gates.

In the afternoon again the troops paraded, forming three sides of a square—the old gate with the turrets and the city wall enclosing the square. On the gate were 75 human heads, some black and others intensely white all with jagged necks—a horrible sight.

In the square, beneath the wall where the heads were exposed, were 200 prisoners in chains. These were the kaid and chief captives. Soldiers stood guard over them and near at hand was a great cauldron of boiling pitch round which hovered the barbers of the city wearing aprons.

One by one the prisoners were released from their chains, seized by the soldiers, and led to the barbers who acted as executioners. The right hand of each prisoner was sliced off at the wrist with a razor and the stump was plunged into the molten pitch.

All Were Stoic.

"All bore this terrible ordeal with marvelous fortitude. Not a cry escaped their lips. Some brushed aside the soldiers and put out their right hands without flinching, merely turning away their heads to avoid the sight of the futility.

Four men had their left feet and right hands cut off. Some fainted and others died of hemorrhage. The survivors were removed in chairs to prison. As each hand or foot was cut off drums were beaten.

But for the viziers, the sultan would have slain all the prisoners.

TO OBSERVE MONDAY

(American News Service)

Chicago, Sept. 4.—One of the biggest Labor Day demonstrations ever seen in Chicago will occur Monday at the Hawthorne race track when the first horse races held in Chicago for years will be run in connection with the Labor Day celebration. There will be five events. A feature of the day will be a collision between two massive locomotives which will meet each other head-on, running at a speed of 60 miles an hour.

THE WEATHER PROPHET.

INDIANA—Continued cloudy and probable thunderstorms.

FAVOR INCOME TAX

(American News Service)

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Col. John S. Crosby of New York was made chairman of the income tax league which met at noon today. The league adopted a resolution favoring the ratification of the income tax amendment and urged all voters who favor the ratification of such income tax amendment to publicly pledge all candidates for the state legislature to vote for its ratification.

WILLIAM T. STEAD STANDS CHAMPION TO BROOKLYN MAN

(American News Service)

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Noted Journalist Interviewed

Dr. Frederick Cook and He Declares Him to Be Discoverer of Pole.

SAYS GAME AMERICAN CAN PROVE STATEMENT

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Multi-millionaire Meets Death In Vehicle He Greatly Dreaded.

A FORTUNE TO CHILDREN

(American News Service)

NOT LONG AGO OLD IRON MASTER GAVE EACH OF HIS FOUR CHILDREN \$4,000,000—WAS A PROMINENT MAN

(American News Service)

Watch Hill, R. I., Sept. 4.—William H. Singer, who was one of the pioneer iron masters of Pittsburgh and retired with a fortune of many millions, died here today from injuries received when he was thrown from his automobile on Wednesday, August 25. Mr. Singer had only a momentary interval of consciousness before his death.

With him were his wife and three of his four children, each of whom he made good before he passed away. A wound at the base of the brain caused death. It was on one of the multi-millionaire's first automobile rides that the accident happened. Both he and his wife had always been afraid of the machines and never used one until a few weeks ago. They were driving in the country with their daughter, Mrs. Robert Milligan and her husband, Dr. Milligan, when a farm wagon unexpectedly turned out of a side road directly in front of them. The chauffeur to save the lives of those in the wagon ran his car into the ditch. It turned turtle and threw the Singer party out. The others were only slightly injured, but Mr. Singer was buried beneath the heavy tonneau and when he was taken out it was found that there was a fracture at the base of the brain.

Most of Mr. Singer's millions have been disposed of, so there will be no contention over a will in this case. Last year on his golden wedding anniversary he presented to each of his four children \$4,000,000. They are Mrs. Robert Milligan, Mrs. William Ross Proctor of New York, G. Horton Singer of Pittsburgh, all of whom were with their father when he died, and William H. Singer, Jr., an artist who is returning from a painting expedition in Norway. There will be at least \$4,000,000 and probably considerably more left for Mr. Singer's widow.

Mr. Singer was one of the real old time iron masters, who worked in the foundry himself and knew every detail of his business. He made a fortune in the early days of the iron and steel industry and increased it vastly when the trust was formed. Upon selling out he retired and since has lived here in the summer and in his Pittsburg mansion in winter.

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MAKES A DISCOVERY

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