

ASPIRING ARIZONA

SOUTHERN TERRITORY WOULD JOIN SISTERHOOD OF STATES.

STATEHOOD CONVENTION CALL

Governor Murphy Issues Semi-Official Proclamation For Convention to Meet at Phoenix on Oct. 18.

(By Associated Press.) Phoenix, Ariz., Oct. 5.—Governor Murphy has issued a semi-official proclamation calling a statehood convention to convene in Phoenix on October 18. The Phoenix board of trade decided to appropriate funds to cover all the expenses to delegates to the convention. Representation will be had from each town and city and a strong effort will be made to disregard political faith of business calling in summing up the corporations. The governor, in his proclamation, states his belief in concerted action on the part of the citizens will induce the 57th congress during the coming winter to pass an enabling act, but it is hinted that one of the influential corporations will not lend aid.

FIVE MORE BISHOPS NEEDED

The Present Triennial Convention of Episcopal Church Will Elect More Bishops.

(By Associated Press.) San Francisco, Oct. 5.—Five bishops may be chosen at the present triennial convention of the Episcopal church. A bishop must be elected for the missionary diocese of Olympia, in the state of Washington, to take the place of Right Rev. Dr. Parker, who died recently. Rev. Dr. Clappette's name was among those prominently mentioned for the place. He is a rector of Trinity church in this city.

A bishop must be elected for the missionary diocese of North Dakota, to take the place of the Right Rev. Dr. Edsall, now in Minnesota. A bishop will probably be elevated to meet this, and will likely be chosen from the northwestern field.

There will also be a bishop provided for Porto Rico, and another perhaps provided for this city. A bishop may also be appointed for Hawaii. And here, again a well informed, popular and efficient western clergyman may be chosen, though the east may be the recruiting field. The advisability of appointing a bishop for Hawaii will be one of the critical questions and the policy problems of the present convention.

In addition to the discussion of creating or filling some or all of these five bishoprics by elections at this convention there are possibilities that two new missionary jurisdictions, with missionary bishops, may be created in the United States. One would be in central Illinois and the other a part of the state of Kansas. The house of bishop has received petitions calling for divisions of territory to increase these two jurisdictions. The position is for the diocese of Springfield, one of three dioceses, and into which the state of Illinois is divided.

The other is from the diocese of Kansas, which embraces the entire state. Each diocese requests that a part be cut off its territory and be made into a missionary jurisdiction. The plan is to relieve the present diocese in each case by supplying the church with work, all missionary jurisdictions being maintained from the central fund.

TAMMANY CHIEF BUYS ESTATE

Richard Croker, New York Democratic Boss, Invests in English and Irish Land.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—Richard Croker is negotiating for the purchase of the Ham estate of 170 acres, adjoining his Moat House property and extending from Letcombe to the outskirts of Wantage, says a Wantage correspondent of the World. The Ham estate has a fine manor house 500 years old upon it, and two water mills. Mr. Croker is not likely to get this property under \$60,000. He has rushed the work on his new artificial lake so rapidly that it was emptied, owing to the hurried construction. The

handsome electric power station for Moat House and the stables have been finished. The work is being supervised by Mr. Usher, who has remained at Moat House this year.

Mr. Croker is also buying another stud farm called Challow Hill, about three miles from Moat House, to provide accommodation for his increased stock of brood mares and foals.

FOR REPRESSION OF ANARCHY

Anarchy a Capital Felony as to Principals and Accessories Both Before and After the Fact.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—The Hudson County N. E. Bar association, at a meeting called to hear the report of its committee appointed to recommend the legislative acts for the repression of anarchy, referred the report to a special committee.

The first section of the proposed act specified that "Anarchy shall be made a capital felony both as to the principals and accessories, as well before as after the fact." The term anarchy for the purpose of this section shall be taken to include every act done, or word uttered with intent to cause or to incite others to cause the assassination of a president of the United States, or any person in the line of succession; the governor of a state, or any person in the gubernatorial succession or the chief of any foreign state or any person in the line of succession thereof.

The second section provides that every person who without intent to cause or to incite others to cause the assassination of the persons referred to in the first section, shall say or do anything with a view of maintaining or promulgating anarchistic doctrines shall be guilty of a high misdemeanor.

SOUSA'S LONDON RECEPTION

London Papers Say Its Cordiality Demonstrates Closeness of Anglo-Saxon Relationship.

(By Associated Press.) London, Oct. 5.—Commenting upon the reception accorded Sousa's band, the Daily Mail says:

There was never, perhaps, so effective a demonstration of the closeness of the Anglo-American relationship as was afforded by the welcome which an enormous London audience gave Sousa's band in the Royal Albert hall last night. Sousa's is certainly a remarkable organization.

Other papers comment on the fact that at the beginning of the musical season, when the holidays are barely over, Sousa should be able to attract such an enormous audience and eulogize his wonderful command over the band and the range of its achievements. The Times says:

The concert proved an admirable and almost surprising lesson in the probabilities of a wind band when ably trained, and Mr. Sousa is to be complimented most heartily on the agreeable way in which he has his force under control.

EMINENT SWEDISH PREACHER

Commissioned by His King Will Visit America as Representative of the Country.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—The Right Rev. Knute Gezelus von Scheele, bishop of Visby, Sweden, will arrive here today on the City of Rome. He is commissioned by the king of Sweden to represent him at several important functions, including the biennial of Yale university.

On Monday night he will attend a banquet given in his honor at the Manhattan hotel.

In 1898 Bishop Scheele was sent by the king of Sweden to Jerusalem to represent the state church of Sweden at the dedication of the Church of the Redeemer by Emperor William II. of Germany. Bishop Scheele is a member of the Swedish riksdag.

PERIGORD-MORTON WEDDING

Miss Helen Morton, Daughter of ex-Vice President, to Wed a Foreign Nobleman.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—The London correspondent of the World cables the following concerning the Perigord-Morton wedding:

Count Bosen de Perigord and Miss Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi P. Morton, will be married at high noon today (Saturday) at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, Chelsea.

The wedding will be one of the most notable of the season. The magnificence of the bride's presents has caused much pleasant comment. Many of the gifts were purchased in Paris, where Miss Morton and her parents spent last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton are receiving friends at the Coburg hotel, where some of the presents are on view. They include a superb corbeille, given by the Duchess de Tallyrand et Sagan, the bridegroom's mother; a diamond corsage ornament from Mr. and Mrs. Morgan; a pearl and diamond necklace, the gifts of the bride's sister, and a diamond aigrette, presented by Mrs. William Corcoran Eustis, the bride's sister, and her husband. A large number of the presents are in Paris and New York.

There will be a notably brilliant assemblage at the wedding. The members of the American embassy, headed by Ambassador and Mrs. Choate and members of the French embassy, Colonel and Mrs. Vivian, titled Parisians, friends of the bridegroom, and many of the nobility will witness the ceremony. The Duc de Tallyrand et Sagan, the bridegroom's father, is not likely to be present, owing to feeble health.

AMERICAN BUILDER ABROAD

John B. McDonald, Famous New York Builder, Inspects Foreign Underground Railway Systems.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—John B. McDonald, the contractor on the subway, sails today on the Campania for England and the continent on a tour of inspection of the underground systems in Glasgow and London, Paris and Buda Pest.

The contract for the electrical equipment and substation apparatus of the rapid transit railroad has been awarded by Mr. McDonald to the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company. The machines ordered are six 5,000 kilowatt alternators, three 250 kilowatt exciters, 26 1,500 kilowatt rotary converters, 78 500 kilowatt transformers and eight motor generator starting sets.

"CHRISTIAN AMERICA"

BOSTON DIVINES ISSUE APPEAL IN MISS STONE'S BEHALF.

TIME LIMIT EXPIRES SUNDAY

Brigands Declare the Captive Missionary Will Be Put to Death October 6th if Ransom Is Not Paid.

(By Associated Press.) Boston, Oct. 5.—An appeal to "Christian America" has been issued to aid the efforts of the relatives and friends of Miss Ellen Stone, the missionary now held captive by brigands in the Balkan mountains, to raise the \$12,000 demanded as a ransom for her delivery.

The brigands have threatened to take Miss Stone's life unless the money is forthcoming on October 8. "Her situation is desperate," says the appeal. "It is absolutely necessary that the amount of the ransom be instantly raised."

Kiddier, Peabody & Co., bankers of Boston have consented to act as trustees of all funds contributed and it is urged that all such reach this firm before noon on Monday, Oct. 7.

"Even moments are precious," closes the appeal. "Will American Christian patriots come to her rescue?"

The appeal is signed by John L. Withrow, George C. Lorimer, and John Galbraith, three of the most prominent ministers in Boston, and Charles E. Stone, the latter for the family and relatives.

TRUST ORGANIZATION HITCH

Attempted Combination of All the Great Plow Manufacturing Interest Up Against a Snag.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—Says the Journal of Commerce:

It is rumored here that there has been a hitch in the plans for the organization of the plow combination and that certain interests are firm in their refusal to become a constituent part of the American Plow company. This refusal is said to be based on the terms upon which the various companies are to be taken over by the proposed combination.

Persons who claim to be in a position to know, say that the stockholders of the various companies, according to the plans of the organizers of the new corporation, were to receive for their holdings 25 per cent in cash and the balance in stock. Some dissatisfaction, however, it is asserted, has arisen in regard to this proposition and it is said several of the companies which have been mentioned with the project are unwilling to join the trust unless they secure an additional cash consideration instead of stock.

It is now reported that W. S. White, representing the United States Mortgage and Trust company of this city, is conferring with officials of the Moline Plow company of Moline, Ills. It has been understood for some time that this company would enter the new corporation, but report has it that there is a difference of opinion on the question of sale. The price fixed is stated to be \$5,000,000. Next to the Oliver Chilled Plow company, the Moline Plow company is one of the biggest concerns in the business.

Illness of King Edward.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—Concerning the report that the illness of King Edward is caused by cancer of the throat, the London correspondent of the World cables: "The report from Copenhagen followed close upon the visit of King Edward to the Danish royal palace at Fredensborg of Sir Felix Semon, the noted throat specialist who was summoned from London and who was recently added to the staff of royal physicians with the title of physician extraordinary. It was noticed that the mysterious throat trouble had affected the king's voice, making it husky and it was said he had been forbidden to make any more public speeches. He also cut his consumption of cigars down to three a day."

Englishmen Discouraged.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—The London correspondent of the Tribune quotes a prominent English yachtsman as saying a renewed attempt to capture the America's cup has been made improbable for a long time to come, owing to the general disappointment over the result of the latest international yacht races:

"Sir Thomas Lipton will not try again," he added, "and there is no other British yachtsman with money to spare for so expensive an enterprise, hence the cup will remain in America for another decade."

Kaiser Building New Yacht.

New York, Oct. 5.—The work of laying the keel plates for the schooner yacht being built for Emperor William of Germany is going on at the yard of the Townsend-Darby ship building and repair company at Shooters Island. The steel frames for the yacht, which are being made at the Passaic Iron Works, and the plates which are being made by the Tidewater Steel company of Chester, Pa., will be shipped to the yards at Shooters Island within a few days. It is expected, and work on the yacht will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible.

Marquis Ito Coming East.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 5.—Marquis Ito, Japan's great political leader, leaves for the east tonight. He will remain several days in St. Paul. The rest of his itinerary is unsettled beyond the fact that he will pay his respects to President Roosevelt at Washington. A banquet was tendered the marquis at the Rainier Grand last evening. It was attended by prominent residents of this city. The local Japanese colony gave a magnificent reception to their distinguished countryman yesterday.

Cold Blooded Hold-Up.

Grass Valley, Cal., Oct. 5.—John Blamey, of this city, was stood up at a pile-foot's point and compelled to stand barefooted in the snow while two highwaymen relieved him of \$65 in gold, a watch and revolver. Blamey was on his way to Grass Valley in the midst of a snow storm when two masked men stopped him and compelled him to dismount at the point of pistols.

They took his watch and revolver from him and, finding no coin in his clothing, made him take off his shoes and socks and stand barefooted in the snow, while the robbers pocketed \$65 which Blamey had hidden in a sock. They then ordered him to drive on without looking back if he valued his life. The only comfort Blamey got out of the robbery was the knowledge that the robbers overlooked a large sum of money which he carried in a valise in the bottom of the cart.

PARLIAMENT SITS IN JANUARY

Ministers Claim That There Are No Important Measures Demanding Early Attention.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—There is a probability that parliament will be summoned before the middle of January, although several liberal journals affect to believe that there will be a public demand for an early meeting, says the London correspondent of the Tribune.

Neither money nor reinforcements are needed for South Africa, if ministers may be believed, and they will not face a cross fire of questions in parliament until they are forced to do so.

The pro-Boers are hardly justified in asserting that there is grave public anxiety respecting the conduct of the war. The soldiers are known to be fighting gallantly and that is all.

A radical journal has the temerity to suggest that it would agree to provide 25,000 troops to maintain the lines of communication and help out the British government. The employment of Hessians would be a wanton slight upon the British colonies which have loyally supported the home government.

Prominent Railroad Man Dying.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Henry H. Courtwright, one of the most widely known railroad men in the west, is seriously ill at the Lakeside hospital where he recently submitted to the amputation of his left leg at the knee. Six months ago he retired from his position as chairman of the Western Trunk Line committee on account of poor health. A few days ago he was removed to the hospital where it was found he was suffering from embolism of the leg and that gangrene had set in in the foot. Owing to his age, 64, his condition is serious.

Germany and Turkey.

London, Oct. 5.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Times says the German ambassador in dining with Sultan Abdul Hamid urged him to adopt measures to remedy the situation in the provinces.

The Russian embassy is preparing for transmission to the Porte an expostulatory note regarding events in America. Instructions from the sultan have been telegraphed to the provincial governments prohibiting theaters and other amusements. The sultan fears that the action of the British at Koweit will result in conciliation of two shieks now opposed to each other and will cause them to combine against him.

Champion Balloon Race.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 5.—The challenge recently sent out by Professor Charles Litchfield, of Boston, the celebrated aeronaut, has been accepted by Leon Stevens, now in this city, and the balloon race is to come off here under the auspices of the Pan-American exposition Oct. 9.

NEWS STORIES BRIEFLY TOLD

Miss Helen Long, daughter of Secretary Long, died at 9 o'clock last night.

The comptroller of the currency has issued a report for a statement of the condition of all national banks on the close of business on Monday, Sept. 30.

Sir Thomas Reid, the distinguished physician who is staying in the vicinity of Aberdeen, has been summoned to Buffalo to attend on King Edward.

The Massachusetts republican state convention held at Boston yesterday, nominated a state ticket. Governor W. Murray Crane was renominated.

According to a remark made by a prominent Boer President Kruger's condition would long since have been much worse if hatred of Great Britain did not nerve him to continue.

Charles Stuart was last night convicted of murder in the second degree for killing George Evanson, June 15. He will probably be sentenced to 25 years' imprisonment.

Regarding Mr. Shaffer's statement that he arranged a meeting between J. P. Morgan and Mr. Gompers and at which Mr. Gompers failed to appear, Mr. Gompers says: "Mr. Shaffer says that which is absolutely untrue and he knows it."

With a view of settling the question of superiority of yachts the Daily Express has cabled Commodore Morgan and Sir Thomas Lipton, suggesting that they should arrange a race with the Columbia's crew on board the Shamrock II and the crew of the challenger on board the defender.

Attorneys for Albert T. Patrick, who is under indictment for the murder of William Marsh Rice, the aged millionaire in this city about a year ago, have moved for an immediate trial of the case. The district attorney opposed the motion and the court withheld decision.

Rear Admiral Schley will retire from the active list of the navy by age limit on October 8th and from present prospects this will take place while the court of inquiry is still in session. His retirement will promote two captains to be rear admirals. Capt. Frank Wildes, who was in command of the Boston during the battle of Manila bay and Capt. Henry Glass.

Chicago Golf Club Contest.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—The Western Golf champion, Phelps B. Hoyt, of Glenview, went down to defeat in the semi-finals for the Chicago cup at the Chicago Golf club by the superior playing of former western champion William Waller, of Ontonwaga, by the large score of 6 up and 5 to play in 18 holes. Waller's victory will entitle him to play in the final match for the trophy against J. Van Nortwick of the Chicago Golf club today, the latter having won his match in the semi-finals from J. W. Beckwith, of Hinsdale, by three up and two to play.

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Lipton's "Splendid Failure."

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—A dispatch to the Herald from London quotes the Daily Mail as saying:

"Sir Thomas Lipton has, if we may use the Irish-like expression, scored a splendid failure. His countrymen on this side of the ocean, and doubtless Canadians and others, have already extended to him admiring sympathy. His countrymen are fully alive to the great service he has rendered a manly, adventurous tactical pastime, the pastime of a people who have made history upon the sea."

Stock Prices Decline.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—There has been little opposition to support prices this week and prices declined on moderate selling. In railroad stocks there has been simply a sagging tendency. But there have been violent declines in some of the industrials which has been artificially lifted and supported. The recent collapse in Amalgamated copper, the declared constitutionality of a New York state anti-trust law and the fear of attacks by federal legislation affected the industrials. Poor reports by some companies of year's earnings has aroused

Pentecost Goes to Manila.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 5.—As the result of an urgent request that he accept from the Presbyterian board of foreign missions a call to work in Manila, the Rev. Dr. George F. Pentecost has severed his connection with the pastorate of the Presbyterian church of Yonkers, N. Y. Dr. Pentecost went to Yonkers from the Marylebone Presbyterian church of London, where he had preached for several years.

President Castro of Venezuela on Sept. 26.

ordered Celestino Castro, one of his brothers, and General Uribe-Urbe, commander of the Venezuelan forces in Tachira frontier to attack the Colombians. The guerrilla bands under General Rovira attacked the rear guard of the Colombian government troops, with the result that he Colombians utterly destroyed General Rovira's outfit.

THE LEWIS DRY GOODS CO.

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A Busy Week at the New Store

Work has progressed very favorably during past week. The basement salesroom fixtures will be finished Wednesday, and the work of placing goods in them will commence forthwith.

Five Solid Carloads of Fixtures

Will be unloaded this week, and a force of carpenters are now busy placing them in position. With the exception of the front glass the store building is now finished and the opening day is now in sight. We don't wish to state the day, however, until we are quite sure. At any rate it won't be later than the 15th of this month.

A Few More Things Concerning the Policy To Be Pursued in the New Store.

There is no question but the name of "Lewis" will be on every lip in Butte before long, because it will stand for honesty and fair dealing. There will be no blind prices; no deceptive advertising; no tricky descriptions; no haggling over the price. Every article will be sold on its merit for just what it is, at a price marked in plain figures, alike to rich and poor. Our system especially appeals to those who wish absolute fairness. We will guarantee our price on each article to be the lowest in the city. This is our lowest and only price. There will be no need to argue the matter; no suspicion that you paid too much or paid more than some one else could buy the same article for. There may be special prices for some daily or hourly sales. They will be open to all while the sale lasts. When the price is reduced the bargain is for all alike. You can send an order by mail, by a child or by a servant and get the same article as the most expert shopper. If any article is not satisfactory in every way we refund the price on request at once. We do not want your dollar unless you get more for your dollar than a dollar will buy elsewhere.

Regarding Furs

We wish to state that we will hold the same position in the Fur business that we held for so many years. As heretofore, we will be headquarters, not only for Butte, but for the whole state. We have in our new store greatly increased facilities for a much greater output, and we propose to extend our business accordingly. Whatever we sell in this line, as in everything else, we guarantee to be just what it is represented. Your dollar will buy more of us than it can buy anywhere else.

Next Saturday we will tell you about the arrangement of stocks in the New Store and about the modern conveniences we are putting in for your comfort.

Mrs. Reed arrived Wednesday and will be busy from now on making arrangements to start the Dressmaking Department. Mrs. Doty, our Milliner, arrived yesterday.

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