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DETECTIVES IN THE 47TH. Will Be Spread Over Niagara and Orleans Before Tuesday.

Low's report, N. Y., May 10.—Two lawyers, representing the New York State association to prevent corrupt practices at elections, accompanied by a force of detectives, arrived here today. They will spread their men over Niagara and Orleans counties before Tuesday, when the special Senate election will be held.

Allan Robinson, secretary of the association, and M. D. Reilly, of Albany, are in charge of the association's workers. They say their detectives are familiar with the Senate district. One of the lawyers will establish headquarters in Niagara County and the other will direct his work from Orleans County.

NO CHANGE IN CITY VOTE EXPECTED. Arguments Seem to Have No Effect on Senator Gilchrist.

There will be no change in the vote of the Senate and Assembly from this city on the anti-racket gambling bill, which will be introduced at the extra session of the Legislature, which begins to-night, so far as could be learned last night. There were rumors that some of the legislators would not appear at the special session, but with the exception of Senator Fletcher, who is sick, no legislator is believed to have been absent. The Senator is believed to have been of no avail. He was the only Republican Senator from this city to vote against the bill. One of the district leaders, to whom Senator Gilchrist owed his nomination, raked him over the coals unmercifully the other day, declaring that the legislator had not made the slightest effort to find out how his constituents wished him to vote on the bill.

HAMILTON TO SUCCEED FANCHER. Jameson, N. Y., May 10.—The Republican primary for the election of delegates to the county convention for Governor was held in Chautauque County yesterday. The result assures the nomination of E. B. Vreeland for member of Congress, the nomination of Assemblyman Charles M. Hamilton for State Senator and the re-nomination of Assemblyman F. Allen for member of the Assembly from the 1st Chautauque District.

Albert T. Fancher is the present Senator from the 1st District, which includes Chautauque and Cattaraugus counties. He voted for the anti-racket gambling bill, which was lost by a tie vote on April 5, and it was alleged that he was kidnapped by the racing people the night before the vote was taken.

CARNEGIE AND MRS. SAGE AID HUGHES. Albany, May 10.—Andrew Carnegie has backed Governor Hughes in his anti-racket gambling crusade by sending a liberal check to the Albany office of the International Reform Bureau for use in setting up sections of the state where it is feared that the legislature will not make the slightest effort to find out how his constituents wished him to vote on the bill.

FOR DIRECT NOMINATION. Kings Republican Clubs Send Out Appeal to Voters.

A committee of the Brooklyn Young Republican Club and other Republican clubs in Kings County has sent out a number of letters favoring a direct nomination bill, which it is believed will be presented to the Legislature at its special session. The letter says: "One of the most important points of difference between the two parties is the party bosses' over the adoption of the system of direct nominations. Direct nominations means the choice of the candidates by the party voters at the primary election."

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TO ENTER CAMPAIGN. MANUFACTURERS ROUSED. National Association Will Fight Labor for President.

James W. Van Cleave, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, arrived in this city yesterday from St. Louis to arrange the details for the annual convention of the association, which is to be held at the Waldorf on May 15, 19 and 20. Spurred by the attitude of President Roosevelt toward pro-labor legislation and the activity of the American Federation of Labor at Washington, the association, which includes three thousand members, representing a combined capital of \$15,000,000, has decided to wield its influence in the coming Presidential campaign. Mr. Van Cleave said last evening that the association would weigh carefully the attitude of President Roosevelt, and that Secretary Taft would stand a good chance of defeating William J. Bryan as his choice for the Presidency. He would throw its influence against all demagogues, he said.

Another member of the association said that the members might find it necessary to oppose with all their power the further injury to their interests and, if necessary, to change their allegiance from the Republican party and to make a vigorous campaign in every Congress district. Several prominent men have promised to attend the convention and the association has a list of manufacturers, especially with regard to the rights of boycott and injunction. These persons include Senator Beveridge, of Indiana; ex-Congressman Littlefield, of Maine, and Governor Fort of New Jersey.

Mr. Van Cleave took Samuel Gompers to task for his threats before the Judiciary Committee of Congress if it did not grant labor's demands. "If Congress is not going actively into politics we find ourselves compelled temporarily to oppose public men whom we still respect, then so much the worse for those men." "By a bill now before Congress," continued Mr. Van Cleave, "the labor union bosses seek to force the Government, and thus to give privileges and immunities to the labor trust which are denied to the industrial, the commercial, the transportation and all sorts of trusts."

"Employers must fight this class legislation, and must begin the fight now, and not next week, or next year. They must fight it, not because it grants special favors to labor, but because it grants special favors to the granting of special favors to any particular interest or to any element of the population." "The general public, and even Presidential candidates, have an exaggerated notion of organized labor's voting strength. We have in this country 23,000,000 wage earners, and the American Federation of Labor, but these include women and children and aliens as well as voters. Besides, many work and live in Canada. You could probably cut these official figures to about 1,100,000 or 1,200,000. Of the total 3,400,000 votes to be cast for President organized labor could furnish perhaps 500,000. But history proves that 5 per cent of the vote will be cast for one or the other of the two national parties, according to individual convictions, and not according to the dictates of labor leaders. The failure of organized labor to overthrow either Mr. Littlefield or Mr. Cannon proved its helplessness in politics."

Mr. Van Cleave will attend the opening of the Governor's conference in Washington, which will be held by President Roosevelt to discuss the problem of conserving the nation's resources, to which he is an invited delegate. From Washington he will bring a number of Governors and experts, who will address the manufacturers on the same problem.

"Among the topics to be considered by the manufacturers is the labor union, merchant and manufacturer's prosperity. A feature, also, is the scheduled address of Wu Ting-fang, Minister from China, who will talk on 'American Industries and Chinese Trade.' He is expected to touch on the Chinese-Japanese boycott question."

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JAPANESE FINANCIERS ARRIVE. Pleasure Trip, They Say—After Imperial Loan, Others Suggest.

Baron Yoshiro Sakatani, ex-Minister of Finance of Japan, arrived in this city yesterday from Tokio. Ostensibly he is on a pleasure trip, but many circumstances tend to confirm previous reports that he is on a mission here to negotiate a loan for the Japanese government. One of the circumstances that strengthens this belief is that the baron's party includes K. Yagu, president of the Bank of Formosa; K. Suga, president of the Dai-Sanki Ginko (Great First Bank), Japan's leading financial institution; S. Mori, counsel to the Department of Finance; K. Umezawa, a director of the Bureau of Finance, and K. Yamani, manager of the Osaka branch of the Bank of Formosa.

Baron Sakatani also evinced a desire of again meeting "socially" Jacob H. Schiff, whose firm, Kuhn, Loeb & Co., has had much to do with Japanese loans, and whom he said he had met officially in Tokio. He also wished to meet Frank A. Vanderlip, vice-president of the National City Bank.

Other members of Baron Sakatani's party are S. Yokoyama, of the Bank of Formosa, who is acting as his secretary, and K. Magoshi, head of the Dai Nippon Brewing Company. Baron Sakatani, at the Holland House last evening, adhered to the story that he gave out at Yokohama, when he sailed for Victoria, that his is a mere pleasure trip; but Japanese newspapers with the exception of the fact, it is said, that the life of the Sankin industry depends largely on the result of the baron's visit to the United States and Europe, as the opposition to it is using the financial situation for political effect.

The government's fiscal policy will be a great factor in the elections to be held this month. Mr. Yokoyama, speaking for Baron Sakatani, gave these reasons for the financial depression in Japan, namely, the effect of the American depression, the fall in the price of silver and the Chinese boycott of Japanese goods. The latter, however, he considered only temporary, although it had already caused great harm to the cotton spinning industry, depression in stocks and a general business depression in the baron's loans raised by the Tokio government will fall due in July, and Baron Sakatani asserted, through his spokesman, that the government would be prepared to meet all demands for payment on the bonds, although he did not believe that the holders in Japan would all demand payment.

The plan is to rewrite these 5 per cent bonds at 2 per cent. Baron Sakatani proudly pointed to the fact that the Imperial Japanese government bond issue of 1904, at 5 per cent, being a loan for about \$100,000,000, had a good investment record. He said he had considered a 2 per cent bond in London, at 2 per cent. The people in Japan, he said, felt the taxes, but appreciated also the progress that the government was making. The banks that have failed in Japan, he said, were only those mushroom institutions that sprang into existence with the wildest speculations following the war.

SHE'D DANCE OR DIE. Wife Who Must Give Up Husband or Terpsichore Takes Poison.

After a quarrel with her husband, from whom she has separated, Mrs. Maud Conover, the eighteen-year-old wife of George Conover, No. 235 East 23rd street, swallowed half a bottle of iodine in an attempt to commit suicide, and is now in Bellevue Hospital. She fell fainting into her husband's arms, and Dr. Gelsler, of Bellevue, was called by the physician on duty. All of the trouble between the young couple was caused by Mrs. Conover's fondness for dancing. The two met at a ball a year ago, and after their marriage the husband placed a ban on dances and staying out late at night. Mrs. Conover, after a time, left her husband's association, and returned to her mother and her friend, Terpsichore. She visited her husband as his home yesterday, with a view to arranging things so that she could live with him and continue to dance. When he refused to consider any such thing she produced a bottle of iodine and drank half of it.

HITS LEBANON HOSPITAL. S. D. Levy Accuses Directors of Being Derelict in Their Duty.

Following an address praising its officers, directors and workers, the directors of the Lebanon Hospital Association yesterday morning by Samuel D. Levy, vice-president of the Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society. The reports of the various officers of the association had been heard, and Joseph Rottenweiser, president of the Hebrew Technical School, had exhausted his vocabulary of complimentary words in his address. "We all know how untiring our president is in his efforts for this hospital up here in The Bronx," he said; "but I think we ought not to let his work count for others. Not 50 per cent of your directors, Mr. President, attend your meetings. I venture to say that not 25 per cent of them ever brings in a new member, and only a contribution of ten cents. The president is too good natured to tell them this. We ourselves don't tell our own boards they are dead wood, and that the greatest good they can do the institution is to get out. But some one ought to do it frequently."

MAN FOUND SHOT IN PROSPECT PARK. The body of an unidentified man, who the police think shot himself, was found on a bench near the tennis grounds in Prospect Park, Brooklyn, on 10 o'clock last night by James Wilkins, of No. 115 Fifth avenue, Brooklyn. He was well dressed and about sixty-five years of age. Nothing was found on his person to identify him. A new revolver lay on the ground near the body.

ENGINEERS TO DISCUSS CLUTCHES. Henry Southey will deliver an address on clutches at a meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers on Tuesday evening in the society's building, at No. 29 West 23rd street. Engineers from Buffalo, Hartford, Providence and other cities are expected to take part in the discussion of the subject.

REPUBLICAN DISTRICT CONVENTIONS. (By Telegraph to The Tribune.)

New Orleans, May 10.—The 1st District Republican convention here yesterday elected W. J. Brophy and Felix Bethel, the latter a negro, delegates to the Chicago convention and instructed them for Secretary Taft. Brunswick, Ga., May 10.—The 11th Congress District Republican convention held today at a bench near two sets of delegates to Chicago. The "Lily White" faction elected J. W. Wilkinson, of Lowndes County, and M. C. Parker, of Pierce, delegates, and W. C. Lane, of Lowndes, and L. A. Allison, of Tallapoosa, alternates. The other faction elected E. W. Binkins, of Camden, and S. E. Monroe, of Brooks, delegates, with H. M. Cobb and A. E. Walton, of Lowndes, alternates. Neither convention instructed its delegates.

MORAN WON'T RUN FOR GOVERNOR. (By Telegraph to The Tribune.)

Boston, May 10.—John B. Moran, District Attorney, announced to-day that he was out of the race for the Governorship nomination. He says that, while he expects to be in the city through July to represent the 1st District Attorney, he will not be strong enough to conduct a full campaign for Governor.

METHODISTS MAY UNITE. Conference to Consider Project—Attack on Bishops' Plan.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Baltimore, May 10.—The exciting debate which followed the resolution of Dr. E. A. Schell of Northwest Indiana, calling for the free access of the General Conference to the executive session, was renewed on Saturday by an attempt to reconsider it on motion of Dr. C. E. Bacon, of Indianapolis. Dr. Buckley had opposed it in a characteristic way on Friday, and Saturday's debate brought another strongly supported by Chancellor J. R. Day, who said no man had the right to leave one committee to which he had been appointed to attend another simply to satisfy curiosity. The motion to reconsider was defeated by a large majority.

There will be an effort to cause the organic union of the Methodist Protestant Church with the Methodist Episcopal Church, which is proposed by John F. Ober, of the city, in the resolution adopted by the committee on federation. There being no serious difference in polity, it will receive favorable consideration.

The most important resolution on this subject is that presented by Judge Herbert T. Ames, of Central Pennsylvania, relating to the Methodist Episcopal and the Methodist Episcopal Church South. This separation of the two bodies took place in 1844 because of the slavery question and state rights.

The following resolution is under advisement: "Whereas, There was constituted at the last General Conference a joint commission on federation, appointed by the Board of Bishops, with powers which were defined in the preamble and resolution which provided for the appointment of the commission; therefore be it Resolved, That we recommend the continuance of the Joint Commission on Federation for another year, and that we recommend the Board of Bishops to authorize it to sign to all other churches of like creed, polity, spirit and purpose, and to urge the same on all churches which are looking toward the organic union of said churches."

This subject is to be taken up by the conference to-day. There is much gossip and some unfavorable comment on the bishops' recommendation concerning amusements in the Episcopal address. A petition containing six thousand signatures of Methodists in India will be presented to the conference, and the committee on the state of the Church is preparing an unfavorable report on the same recommendation. It is likely to provoke much discussion, whether it appears as a majority or a minority report.

The restoration of the pastoral time limit is claiming much attention and strong efforts are being made to effect it. Numerous memoranda are being sent to the committee on finance. It is probable, however, that there will be no change until the conference of 1912, many demanding a longer period for satisfactory test. The mass meeting of the Laymen's Missionary Movement was not largely attended, owing to the excursion to Gettysburg. Missionary bishops, including Bishop Baskford of the vastness and greatness of Russia, and especially of Siberia, and he said he believed that the empire in a few years will have a population of 400,000,000. His account of missionary work in Corea and China was encouraging and thrilling.

CHARGES AGAINST FOUR BISHOPS. Mr. Cooke Accuses Messrs. Goodsell, Moore, Berry and McDowell of Maladministration.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Baltimore, May 10.—Charges of maladministration have been preferred by the Rev. George A. Cooke, of New York, against Bishop Daniel A. Goodsell, of Boston; Bishop David H. Moore, of Portland, Me.; Bishop Joseph P. Bow, of William Sulzer, of Chicago, and Bishop W. D. Howland, of New York, all bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church. The charges against Bishop Moore grows out of the charges recently preferred against Chancellor Day, which were dismissed by Bishop Moore. The charges against Bishops McDowell, Berry and Goodsell center in his own city among the charges of heresy against Dr. J. M. Buckley, of New York, and Professor Borden P. Bowne, of Boston University.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR DEAD HEROES. Father Chidwick, the Ill Fated Maine's Chaplain, Tells of Deeds of Bravery.

Memorial services in honor of the dead soldiers, sailors and marines of the nation were held last night under the direction of the joint city board of the Army and Navy Union Garrison at St. Andrew's Church, 54th street, near Tenth avenue, which was presided over by Father Chidwick, former chaplain of the battleship Maine and now the police chaplain of this city, is pastor. The 1st Regiment, Knights of Columbus, of Brooklyn, Colonel J. C. Day commanding, acted as escort, and Major Harlan P. Christie, deputy commander of the Army and Navy Union Garrison, was commander in chief. The garrisoners represented included General George A. Cushing, 21; Mr. General Charles F. Row, 21; William Sulzer, 12; George B. Wheeler, 7; and Oliver H. Perry, 75. The United Spanish War Veteran camps included Gloucester, Manhattan, Sergeant Hamilton Fish, Old Guard, and Admiral Philip.

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NEW BARRACKS FOR TRAFFIC SQUAD. Old Fifth Avenue Hotel Stables Transformed Into an Up-to-Date Police Stable.

The old Fifth Avenue Hotel stables, at Nos. 153 and 155 East 23rd street, have been remodelled under the supervision of Police Inspector Max Schmitt. The new barracks for the traffic squad for occupancy. Seventy-five mounted policemen will take possession in a day or two. The building is three stories high. The ground floor is designed for drill purposes. The horses will be stabled on the second floor, and on the third floor will be the saddle, bridle, blanket, shower bath, locker and general assembly rooms.

CUBANS CHEER GOVERNOR MAGOON. Havana, May 10.—Governor Magoon returned to Havana this evening from his trip to Pinar del Rio. He was well pleased with his reception everywhere and the general good feeling. He was loudly cheered at the American colony at Herradura, and large crowds greeted his train at every station. At one place a blind negro boy sang a neat President of Cuba.

MOB HUNTS A WOMAN. Chases Negro to Church and Breaks Up Meeting—She Escapes.

Mrs. L. Summerville, said to be the most beautiful negro woman in Sheepshead Bay, who was dispossessed of her home in Shore Road a month ago, pursued her fight and tried to enter the house from which her Lanes and Penates had been removed. After brooding for a month over the act of Adam Spooling, her landlord, she concluded that it was "an ungenerous and audacious piece of unbecoming business," and she did not hesitate to tell him so at the house last night. There was an account on each side, the last one being accompanied by the thud of a whiskey bottle on the landlord's head. A small amount of whiskey remained in the bottle, which Mrs. Summerville had concealed in her shirt waist. The rest of the "foxtrot" could not be found on her person.

Shooting soiled for help, and a crowd soon came from the high ways and byways of Sheepshead Bay. Mrs. Summerville, who wore dark clothing, melted into the darkness, and the crowd, with no knowledge of the direction she had taken, started the search in the direction of all points of the compass. One man ran to a telephone, but he could not get "central."

There was much blood on the landlord's head, and his neighbors, thinking he was seriously wounded, called out the reserves from the police station of the 16th Precinct. An ambulance, also called from the Conoy Island Emergency Hospital. The leader of the mob, who had a dark figure enter the front door of the negro church in Avenue X, and was about to rush in, but the pastor was holding service and the leader ordered the crowd to wait until the congregation was dismissed.

The mob, which had been augmented to about two hundred persons, formed a circle around the church, and the reserves looked sharply at each female communicant as she walked out. The members of the congregation became alarmed, and in the confusion Mrs. Summerville escaped by a back door. She climbed some thirty feet high in the rear of the church and was on the top of it when the crowd saw her. She had a good start and escaped, it is thought, on a Brighton Beach train.

THRONG GUNNESS FARM. Over 15,000 Sights—Search for Bodies Halted for Day.

La Porte, Ind., May 10.—All roads in La Porte County led to the farm of Mrs. Belle Gunness, alleged murderer of at least ten persons, whose bodies have been unearthed in her barnyard. Upward of fifteen thousand sightseers visited the place of death before sunset of the first Sabbath of this week. The bodies of the victims were to pass since news of the mystery transpired. Nearly a hundred bodies of the Gunness family were in the Gunness farm, and railroads and trolley lines brought about four thousand non-residents to the city. There was nothing in the attitude of the crowd to indicate that they were visiting a place where gruesome tragedies had taken place. Along the roadside were lemonade stands and lunch wagons. At the gates were vendors of souvenir postal cards, and those bearing a group picture of Mrs. Gunness and her three children found ready sale. In the rush to La Porte, in the afternoon, several farm horses, frightened by automobiles, ran away. A buggy was upset, and Mrs. Benjamin Zander, of La Porte, sustained a fracture of the arm. Several pickpockets did a thriving business while the throng waited for homeward-bound trains. Investigation of the farm for more bodies halted to-day. The sheriff and other officers were forced to become spectators also. Several visitors, however, were seeking information concerning missing persons. Mrs. Gunness later, and some further information regarding the positive identity of the victims of the farm resulted from their inquiries.

The most definite information came from Olaf Lindboe, of Chicago. He said that his brother Thomas worked for Mrs. Gunness three years ago and that the last letter from Thomas said the writer intended to marry Mrs. Gunness. Olaf Lindboe had gone to St. Louis and she had had no word from him. Olaf Lindboe has not heard from Thomas since. He viewed the unidentified bodies, but was unable to find any likeness to his brother in the masses of bones.

BELIEVE WOMAN WAS MURDERED. Body Found on Clay Bank—Only Footprints Those of Man.

Philadelphia, May 10.—Mystery surrounds the finding of a body of a well-dressed woman, thirty-five years old, on a clay bank in the extreme southwestern part of the city to-day. Two men coming across the brick yards found the body, which lay with one foot in a small pond. Beside it lay a bottle that had contained carbolic acid, and it was taken for granted that the woman had committed suicide. But when the police began an investigation they could not find the woman's footprints in the mud. They did find prints of a man's feet, and suspicion that the woman may have been carried to the place was strengthened by the fact that the body lay carefully covered by the coat belonging to the woman's suit of black cloth. Persons living not far away report having heard a cab or carriage drive by early in the morning, apparently going in the direction of the open brick yards where the body was found.

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JOSEPH LEICHT DIES ON STEAMER. Chertburg, May 10.—Joseph Leicht, a first class passenger on board the North German Lloyd steamship Lützow, which arrived here to-day, died on the voyage. It is said that Mr. Leicht was a journalist from Winona, Minn. The body will be shipped to New York on Wednesday next.

EVEN MOVING PICTURES WERE GOING. Despite the decision handed down by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, the vaudeville managers entertained large audiences at the playhouses where Sunday concerts are given. Even the moving picture places were doing a thriving business. At Keith & Proctor's Union Square Theatre the first of a series of pictures of the Catholic centenary parade were shown, and that theatre was filled both afternoon and night. The pictures will be on exhibition to-day, Tuesday and Wednesday.

John Jameson Three Star Whiskey Not a pure of substitutes for the pure old-fashioned ingredients is permitted to enter into the production of Jameson Three-Star Whiskey

CLASH IN CONVENTION. Socialists Disagree—Will Name Either Debs or Haywood.

Chicago, May 10.—With floods of words delegates to-day opened the national convention of the Socialist party. The first session, which lasted from noon until early evening, developed indications of a clash between city socialists and farm socialists. The issue is, whether the Socialist party shall make a special appeal to farmers to join. When the convention closed its day's work the question was still under discussion.

Morris Hillquit, of New York, was elected temporary chairman. Eugene V. Debs and William D. Haywood, formerly secretary of the Western Federation of Miners, are the leading aspirants for the Presidential nomination, and the contest between them promises to be close.

The net results of to-day's session were a refusal to permit women delegates to control the committee on the rights of women with regard to the socialist movement, a refusal to name a committee to discuss immigration and a fight lasting through three ballots on the question of proposed overtures to the farmers and the reference of the same to a committee of nine.

Representatives of the city membership of the party appeared to be unanimous in demanding an appeal to the farmer vote. New York City, Chicago, Milwaukee and other cities voted as a unit in the affirmative. On the other hand, Texas, Oklahoma, and, in fact, nearly all of the distinctly agricultural states voted against the proposal.

Following the referring of this question to a committee, the two-thirds vote of control came up for a contest between the city and the farm vote. The rules committee reported a clause providing that a two-thirds vote should be necessary for the nomination of candidates for President and Vice-President. The debate was scarcely under way when the adjournment was taken till to-morrow.

CALLS ANARCHY PANACEA. Federation of "Reds" Issues Manifesto Defending Its Purposes.

A new manifesto has been issued by the Anarchists' Federation of America, which, when the meetings of the different bodies organized ostensibly for the relief of the unemployed began, endeavored to identify itself with these bodies and issued its first manifesto. The new manifesto says: "You cannot exterminate anarchism, because it embodies the highest and noblest of human qualities, the enjoyment of life. Do not condemn this philosophy of a better, freer and happier life with acts resulting from the envy which this philosophy strives to abolish. Do not allow yourselves to be duped by the wild misrepresentation of anarchism and anarchies of violence, of those interested in upholding the present condition of robbery and oppression. We are making a real study of the conditions of the present and the means present conditions of oppression and slavery and do not long continue. For anarchism does not mean violence, on the contrary, it wants to do away with all violence by abolishing poverty and government, those enemies of the people."

It then denounces government and advocates a communal system of living as the aim of the anarchists, and says that there would be no starvation under a communal form of life, adding: "Would a starving, unhappy man become so desperate from hunger as to kill a Denver priest if there were no hunger and everyone an equal opportunity to work? Would the unemployed march the streets of Philadelphia, crying for bread, and be killed by a mob? For anarchism does not mean any one throw a bomb to express his protest against police brutality or the suppression of free speech. It means a better life, a life of peace and comfort and happiness ever be expressed by the clubs, the clubs, the clubs, the clubs, the clubs, by deportation and other fool legislation."

THE AMER ANSWERS INDIA. Frontier Tribes Ordered to Recross Border—Difficulty of Control.

Simla, May 10.—The Amer of Afghanistan, after a delay, has replied to the Indian government's remonstrance against the invasion of British territory by the Afghans. The Amer explains the difficulties in controlling the frontier tribes and says that he has issued stringent orders recalling those who have crossed the border, and instructing the officials to prevent further incursions.

THE PHILIPPINES PEACEFUL. Basilan Campaign Not Serious—An Irrigation System Proposed.

Manila, May 10.—The disarming of the Basilan Moros is going on without serious trouble. The Lanao districts are quiet. The disorder against which the troops were recently operating was neither general nor serious. Major General Weston, who has returned to Manila from an inspection of the entire district, reports that conditions are quieter than usual. He pronounces the recent operations to have been police rather than military. The government is urged to float a loan for the purpose of installing an extended system of irrigation. The islands must purchase 10,000,000 pesos worth of foreign rice this year, making a total purchase during the last ten years of 100,000,000 pesos. It is believed that irrigation will restore the crops.

ANGRY HUSBAND IN STREET FIGHT. Man He Accuses of Ogling His Wife Knocked Down and Arrested.

James T. Smith and his wife dined at Healy's Saturday night, and while in the restaurant, some man ogled Mrs. Smith. There was no trouble, however, until Mr. Smith and his wife had left the restaurant and had reached the Ansonia, on their way home to No. 212 West 23rd street. They were suddenly on Erik Mauer, of No. 212 West 23rd street, who is connected with a downtown German banking firm. Somebody hit Mauer and sent him down. Then Mr. Mauer's cane was broken over Mr. Smith's head and every one was taken around to the West 23rd street station, where Mauer was charged with assault.

JOSEPH LEICHT DIES ON STEAMER. Chertburg, May 10.—Joseph Leicht, a first class passenger on board the North German Lloyd steamship Lützow, which arrived here to-day, died on the voyage. It is said that Mr. Leicht was a journalist from Winona, Minn. The body will be shipped to New York on Wednesday next.

EVEN MOVING PICTURES WERE GOING. Despite the decision handed down by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, the vaudeville managers entertained large audiences at the playhouses where Sunday concerts are given. Even the moving picture places were doing a thriving business. At Keith & Proctor's Union Square Theatre the first of a series of pictures of the Catholic centenary parade were shown, and that theatre was filled both afternoon and night. The pictures will be on exhibition to-day, Tuesday and Wednesday.

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