

Secretary, personally instructed the bishops and other Catholic leaders throughout Spain to prevent demonstrations and disorders, desiring to show that the Holy See is anxious to maintain peaceful relations in the affairs of the peninsula.

Another reason for the conciliatory attitude of the Vatican is found in the fact that the organizers of the proposed demonstrations are for the most part Carlists, and that any movement might eventually take on a revolutionary and anti-dynastic character, which the Vatican is determined shall be absolutely excluded from the present question.

A semi-official communication issued by the Vatican to-day says that the relations with Portugal are normal. A new Portuguese ambassador to the Holy See has not been appointed, it is explained, because of the recent change in the Cabinet at Lisbon.

Paris, Aug. 8.—The San Sebastian correspondent of the "Echo de Paris" says there is a feeling in government circles that negotiations with the Vatican will now take a new and favorable turn.

SOVEREIGN'S MIND STRONG

Spanish Ambassador Denies Rumor Published in France.

Paris, Aug. 7.—The Spanish Ambassador to France, Señor Pérez-Caballero, says that the report printed in the "Echo" here that King Alfonso is showing signs of mental weakness is a malicious invention of the clerical press.

The Marquis de Ojeda, who has arrived in Paris, after being recalled by the Spanish government from his post as ambassador to the Vatican, said to-day that the Spanish Embassy at the Vatican, who is now in charge of the embassy, has orders to attend the Pope's anniversary on Tuesday.

TWENTY MEN DEPORTED

Strike Breakers Refuse to Take Oath to King George.

Winnipeg, Aug. 7.—Twenty strike breakers for the Canadian Northern car shops who refused to take the oath of allegiance to King George were deported to St. Paul to-day.

BONILLA NEARING CEIBA

Force Under General Diaz Reported—A Landing Made.

New Orleans, Aug. 7.—A force of four hundred men under General Lee Christian, an American follower of General Bonilla in Spanish Honduras, repulsed two hundred of the government troops, under General Diaz, on Tuesday, at Pedro Pentada, seven miles from Ceiba, according to passengers on the steamer Oregan, arriving here to-day from Ceiba.

The engagement was brief, and only a few men were reported killed and wounded. The only revolutionist killed was the oldest son of Colonel Moncada, one of the leaders of the movement. Seven of the government forces were killed.

General Christmas, who has served in several Central American wars, occupied a strong position at Pedro Pentada a week ago, and it is said, at once sent a message of defiance to Diaz. It is reported that a number of Diaz's followers, after the march against General Christmas had begun, refused to go on when they learned that they were outnumbered, but they were made prisoners by their leader.

When the Oregan left Ceiba last Wednesday it was reported that General Bonilla had landed with his army at Bertulla, a small port, twenty miles east of Ceiba, had taken possession of the town and was preparing to begin a march on the city.

DR. CRIPPEN HEARS MASS

Armed Guards Beside Him—Miss Leneve Keeps Room.

Quebec, Aug. 7.—With an armed guard each side of him, Dr. Crrippen spent the service to-day at the Catholic chapel of the provincial jail. Miss Leneve declined to join the Protestant prisoners at the service conducted by the Church of England chaplain and spent the day reading in the comfortable room which she is allowed to occupy, apart from the other women prisoners.

Crippen, his jailer said, listened devoutly to the mass and sermon by Monsignor Turu, but the extreme precaution adopted to guard him showed that the authorities still fear he may do himself harm.

The day was fine. Crrippen spent a large part of it gazing through the narrow windows of his cell over the broad meadows on the Plains of Abraham, watching the boys play.

Although the prison rules prescribe that all inmates shall attend Sunday services unless they are ill, Miss Leneve made such a strong protest that the jailer decided to permit her to remain in solitude. The girl shows a dread of encountering the stars and the comments of other jail inmates, and the privilege granted her to-day is in accord with the lenient treatment which she has received since her arrest.

INSPECTOR DEW AT BUFFALO

Buffalo, Aug. 7.—Inspector Dew, of Scotland Yard, was in Buffalo for a few hours early to-day. He came up from Niagara Falls in an automobile with two English acquaintances. The party made the return trip early this morning, and it was reported by telephone that the inspector was still at a hotel on the Canadian side of the river to-night. He declined to discuss the Crrippen case or to say when he expected to return to Quebec.

A PLEA FOR QUEENSTOWN

Leading Irishmen Coming Here—Mr. Roosevelt Promises Aid.

Queenstown, Aug. 7.—An All-Ireland delegation, including the Lord Mayor, Dublin and Belfast, and prominent representatives of commerce, will sail for New York on the steamer Oceanic on September 22, to confer with Frank H. Hitchcock, the American Postmaster General, on the question of inducing the larger Cunard steamers to remain in port.

Captain Anthony J. Donelan, member of the House of Commons for Cork, has received a communication from Theodore Roosevelt, in which the ex-President says that in accordance with his promise to Messrs. Redmond and Dillon, he is moving in this matter and that he hopes finally to discuss with Mr. Redmond on the latter's arrival in the United States in September.

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TO PUSH GORE

Congressional Investigation in McMurray's Town To-day.

EXPECT MORE DISCLOSURES

Officials Believe That Indians Will Benefit from the Light Shed on Their Affairs.

McAlester, Okla., Aug. 7.—That a new era of wholesome legislation by Congress has dawned for the Indians as a result of the Congressional investigation into the McMurray contracts is the belief among Senators, Representatives and other government officials assembled here.

The committee appointed by the House of Representatives headed by Representative Charles H. Burke, of South Dakota, to inquire into the charges of Senator Thomas P. Gore, that he had been offered a \$25,000 or \$50,000 bribe to help put the McMurray deal through Congress, arrived here to-day from Muskogee, and McAlester is the home town of J. W. McMurray, the attorney who with others holds the contracts. It is expected that more light will be thrown on Senator Gore's assertion that the sale is contemplated for \$30,000,000 to a New York syndicate of 450,000 acres of coal and asphalt land now owned by the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians, from whom McMurray secured contracts that would allow him 10 per cent attorney's fees, or \$3,000,000. Also, more evidence is believed to be forthcoming concerning "Jake" L. Hamon, who is charged by Senator Gore with having offered the bribe to secure the approval of the contracts by Congress.

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The testimony given by Representative C. E. Cramer, of Oklahoma, that Hamon solicited him at a hotel in Washington and "suggested" he might obtain an interest in the contracts if opposition were removed, together with the Gore charges, is not believed to be the end of the disclosures.

Mr. Cramer's testimony was regarded as supplementary to that of the Gore charges. Hamon, who entered a denial of the charges, was asked by Mr. Cramer, Senator Gore, D. F. Gore, the Senator's brother, and J. L. Thompson, the Senator's secretary, has been an interested auditor at all the sessions. Congressman Bird McGuire, of Oklahoma, and Senator Charles Curtis, of Kansas, each named by Mr. Gore as having been the men mentioned by Hamon as being "interested" in the land deal, have

Senator Curtis denied having any relation with Hamon. Mr. McGuire, who testified concerning meeting Hamon in Washington, and who, in response to questioning, denied he had ever been "improperly approached" in relation to the McMurray contracts, told the committee he was ready to reappear at any time.

The name of Vice-President Sherman, who, according to Senator Gore, was mentioned by Hamon as the man "higher up," has been eliminated from the investigation, so far as Senator Gore is concerned. The Senator said he had no objection in mentioning Mr. Sherman's name other than to relate all that had happened the year after the McMurray deal was made.

McMurray also has been charged on the stand with having offered a \$25,000 bribe to a Choctaw delegate to Washington to withdraw opposition to old contracts that were substantially disapproved by President Roosevelt in 1905, it is believed McMurray will be called to testify. What are known as the McMurray contracts secured individually with the Indians.

The story told on the stand by Green McCurtain, chief of the eighteen thousand Choctaws, and a venerable fighter of pioneer days, made a deep impression. McCurtain related how his tribe the year after he had sold the government to sell their lands, and how at last the Indians, becoming discouraged, had become the prey of attorneys, whose promises were more glowing than those of the government.

It cost his tribe in the last ten years, McCurtain related, \$300,000 in attorney's fees, besides a share in the \$750,000 fee paid to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians in the citizenship cases involving the Choctaws and Chickasaws.

Congressman J. H. Stephens, of Texas, a member of the present investigating committee, in a speech in Congress referred to the \$750,000 fee as "a scandal," and asserted that attorneys would have been made to pay the money.

"It is evident that the whole Indian situation needs to be come over by the government," said an official to-day. "The Indians are the wards of the government; yet they have become the prey of attorneys, who have been making money out of them."

EX-GOVERNOR FOLK HURT

Chaufeur Ditches Automobile to Save It from Turning Turtle.

McAlester, Okla., Aug. 7.—Ex-Governor J. W. Folk was injured in an automobile smash-up near Muskogee this afternoon, when to save the machine from turning turtle, the driver took a ditch and hit a telegraph pole.

Mr. Folk and three companions were hurled out of the machine, and the ex-governor sustained bad bruises on his right arm and left leg. His right wrist also was sprained when he struck the bank. Finding it impossible to get him to Muskogee by rail from Galesburg, Ill., in time to fill the Chautauque engagement here, an automobile was sent for him.

Although suffering pain, Governor Folk addressed a crowd of five thousand persons this afternoon.

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MORE TALK FROM CORBETT

Declares That Qualey Suggested Buying of Bonds to Mrs. Bull.

TOO SLOW, SAYS SHE SAID

Will Make Effort to Put Magnesia-Asbestos Company on Dividend Paying Basis.

Following the exclusive interview given by him to The Tribune for yesterday's paper, Harvey W. Corbett, who is co-defendant with John A. Qualey against Mrs. William T. Bull's charges that \$5,000 was taken from her by improper methods for investment in the Magnesia-Asbestos Company, added some further points of interest to his story last night.

"I would like to add a little," he said, "to what I told The Tribune last night about Mrs. Bull's investment in the stock of the Magnesia-Asbestos Company. When Mrs. Bull first consulted me in general, she told him that she was having trouble with her co-executor of her husband's estate, George W. Young, and she wanted Mr. Qualey's advice on how to invest about \$50,000 she had.

"Mr. Qualey did not at once seek her money for the magnesia company. He told her that the bond market was in good condition and advised her to put her money in bonds. Mrs. Bull didn't want to do that because the returns would not be large enough or quick enough. It was only after that that Mr. Qualey advised her to invest in the magnesia company.

"Did you ever go to Newport yourself, to see Mrs. Bull, Mr. Corbett?"

Never Been in Newport.

"It so happens," Mr. Corbett replied, "that I have never been in Newport in my life. I have passed through Rhode Island and I was in Providence once, but I have never been in Newport."

"How was it, Mr. Corbett, that you were in prison so long before being bailed out? Why weren't your friends a little quicker about coming to your aid?"

"They wanted to bail me out just as soon as they knew that I was in prison. But I said to them that I could not go free unless Mr. Qualey did also. I told my wife and I told my friends that if Qualey were guilty I was, too. And I said that if I were guilty, if I had been bamboozling people out of their money, I was right where I belonged, behind the bars, and I wanted to stay there."

"When this affair is over what do you intend to do about the Magnesia-Asbestos Company?"

"Why," Mr. Corbett said, "I am going right along with the company. I've got to do it. The only way that I can prove that I am right and that this company is not a swindle is to make it a success. And that is what I am going to do."

"There have been some charges made that Alan A. Ryan is in a conspiracy with Mrs. Bull to get control of the company. What do you think about that?"

"I don't think those charges should be made," Mr. Corbett said. "Mr. Ryan was asked to look into our company by an attorney and I made a trip over to the Newport plant. I never understood that he was asked by Mrs. Bull to do so, or that he did it for Mrs. Bull. After his visit to the plant he wanted more information from Mr. Qualey, and it was just a chance that Qualey was telephoning to Mr. Ryan when he was arrested. But I am sure Mr. Ryan had nothing to do with the arrest, and I have never thought there was any conspiracy."

Mrs. Bull Witness Again To-day.

Mrs. Bull will again be a witness before Magistrate Krotel, in the Harlem police court, at 3 o'clock to-day in the hearing of the charges against Qualey and Corbett. She is still subject to Mr. McIntyre's cross-examination. After her testimony is in it is expected that the grand jury will indict the two men.

The prosecution feels sure that Qualey and Corbett will be indicted. The grand jury has already made its plans for the grand jury hearing, and this is expected to take place this week. Mrs. Bull has had a long conference with Assistant District Attorneys Rice and Perkins, and several other witnesses have been examined in the District Attorney's office.

CANVASSING FOR HOTCHKISS

Superintendent's Friends Active in Governorship Race.

Friends of Superintendent Hotchkiss of the Insurance Department have started an informal canvass of the Legislature in the hope of persuading the Legislature to elect Hotchkiss, the strongest possible candidate that the Republicans could name for Governor this fall. They are saying that he is the man above all others that Governor Hughes would like to see to succeed him, and that this fact would do more than anything else to arouse the interest of the Legislature in his candidacy. It is understood that he is disgruntled at the way in which some of the leaders opposed the Governor last winter.

Although Superintendent Hotchkiss has not formally announced himself as a candidate for the nomination, his friends say that he would be willing to undertake the leadership of the party this fall if he could feel that the Legislature was back of him. If the canvass now being made indicates that any considerable number of the leaders look with favor on Mr. Hotchkiss, it is understood that his candidacy will be formally announced within a short time.

The fact that Superintendent Hotchkiss had luncheon in the city this week with Collector Loeb and Officer Kracke led to the report that President Taft looked with favor on the suggestion that the superintendent be the Republican nominee for Governor in New York State this fall. Following this luncheon, Collector Loeb went on an automobile trip up the Hudson with Mr. F. Payne and other leaders, and it was reported that the Collector's mission was to learn the feeling toward Superintendent Hotchkiss, as well as others who have been mentioned as possible nominees for the governorship.

Theodore Roosevelt's interest in Mr. Hotchkiss is held to be shown by the fact that he talked with Controller Prendergast about him when the Controller saw the colonel at "The Outlook" offices several weeks ago. The Controller expressed himself forcibly as being of the opinion that Superintendent Hotchkiss would make a most excellent candidate.

The worst of the Superintendent Hotchkiss did in revealing legislative lobbying in the interest of the fire insurance companies in the investigation of last winter will be prominently brought before the public when his revelations are taken up by the Merritt investigating committee, in September. Many of the leaders are of the opinion that this would be of considerable assistance to Superintendent Hotchkiss as a candidate for Governor.

HAYES'S BIRTHPLACE DESTROYED

Cleveland, Aug. 7.—The birthplace of Rutherford B. Hayes, nineteenth President of the United States, was destroyed by fire to-day. The building was a two-story brick and was one hundred years old. It was owned by W. C. Diven, a candy manufacturer. The fire was caused by a defective fuse.

SIX REPORTED KILLED

Eight Others Injured in an Explosion in a Glucose Plant.

Granite City, Ill., Aug. 7.—Six persons are reported killed and eight hurt in an explosion which wrecked and set fire to the Granite City Glucose plant of the Corn Products Refining Company at 5 o'clock this afternoon. The plant is still burning.

UNHURT, THOUGH UNDER CAR

Long Island Brakeman Found Safety in Lying Still.

Brusard and battered, Theodore B. Kendal, a brakeman on the Long Island Railroad, went home to his family in Jamaica yesterday afternoon, singing songs of thanksgiving. A short time before he had been run over by a passenger train in the railroad yards, Long Island City, but escaped serious injury.

Kendal takes the record for his feat. He was one of a drill crew who were shifting empty passenger trains, and was stationed on a car in the center of the train. While putting on a brake something slipped and he was thrown head first from the platform, falling between the bumpers. He struck on his hands, and in some way straightened out face downward between the tracks.

Although confused by the fall, he knew his only course was to lie perfectly still. He had time enough to mentally thank his good fortune that the locomotive was hauling instead of shunting the train, and that it had gone on ahead. Then he wondered if any of the low running gear of the new cars would catch him.

When the last car rattled over his head trainhands ran to where he was lying. He wanted to walk, but his comrades would not let him, as they thought he might have been injured badly. Surgeon Melschner, of St. John's hospital, examined him, but beyond small cuts and bruises Kendal was unhurt, so he took the remainder of the day off and went home.

TAFTS ATTEND CHURCH

Three Cabinet Officers Will Visit President This Week.

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 7.—President and Mrs. Taft attended services this morning at the First Parish Unitarian Church, and afterward entertained at luncheon Judge John W. Warrington, of Cincinnati. In the late afternoon they had a long automobile ride.

Cabinet conferences will be the order of the coming week. Secretary of State Knox is visiting at the home of Henry C. Frick, at Pride's Crossing, three miles north of here, and will see the President to-morrow. Postmaster General Hitchcock is due in Beverly on Tuesday, and Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh may also be here that day.

Mr. Hitchcock and Mr. MacVeagh are both members of the board of trustees of the postal savings banks. It is expected that the first of these banks will be instituted by October 15.

MONTT THINKS TAFT FINE

President of Chili Says He is Splendidly Fitted to Rule.

President Montt of Chili and his party reached New York last night after a pleasant visit to Boston and to Beverly. The Chief Executive of Chili was feeling well when he recovered early yesterday morning. He has been identified as those of Miss Mina Mube, of New York City, and A. M. Comery, of Wilmington, Del. Both are Comerys, of the Mountain View House. They were thrown into the water when one of the hotel launchmen, who was called by Captain George W. Hulmes. Four others in the boat were saved.

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TO GIVE TEXAS PROHIBITION

Governor Campbell Calls a Special Session of the Legislature.

Galveston, Aug. 7.—The blocking of the liquor bill in the Texas Senate has prompted Governor Campbell to call in December a special session of the Legislature, to give Texas prohibition. He says the bill is blocking and he will give it to them before O. B. Colquitt, "wet" Democratic nominee for Governor, qualifies.

The special session would include the newly elected legislators, whose nomination is the chief business of the Legislature. It is expected that the bill will be passed by the Legislature and House, in less than two-thirds prohibition.

WATERS END FOUR LIVES

Bodies of Lake Hopatcong Victims Recovered and Identified.

MANY RESCUES EFFECTED

Attempt to Win Bet Nearly Costs Life of Experienced Swimmer.

Four persons were drowned in New York yesterday, two while in bathing and two when boats in which they were passengers overturned. The bodies of two of the victims have not yet been recovered. Other persons during the day had narrow escapes from drowning.

William A. Krebs, forty-three years old, of No. 790 Elton avenue, The Bronx, went for a swim in the lake from his launch, which he had tied up to the Spuyten Duyvil bridge, yesterday afternoon. He had gone about fifty feet from the craft when friends whom he had taken for a sail saw him throw up his hands and sink. George King, one of the party, went into the water after Krebs, but before he reached him he was drowned. The body was recovered two days later.

Charles T. Schanz, forty-one years old, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., was assisting women friends into a dingy which had pulled alongside the boat. Both he and his wife were drowned. The bodies were recovered yesterday.

He got the first woman in all right, but as he was helping the second one in the added weight caused the little boat to sink. The three were thrown into the water. William Hitt, of Hoboken, the husband of one of the women, jumped into the water and helped to save them. Another member of the party, who remained in the launch, threw a lifebelt to Schanz, but he was too exhausted to reach it and he went under. His body was not recovered.

A number of friends bet Charles Romartuk, twenty-six years old, shirtwaist maker of No. 322 West 127th street, recently made a bet not to swim from the dock at that he could not swim from the dock at that street across Hill Gate to Mill Rock and back again. Romartuk took the bet, and his friends made a pool of \$5. He set out on his swim yesterday afternoon. He got to Mill Rock, which is about opposite 96th street, and started back again. Suddenly his friends saw him in trouble.

David Durr, a member of the United States Volunteer Life-saving Corps, set out in a rowboat, and after a hard pull reached Romartuk, who was ready to give up. Durr was himself exhausted, and he had to wait until another oarsman could be taken before he and the boat could be taken back to the Manhattan shore.

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