



MEXICAN REBELS CAPTURE TOWN

Take Gomez Palacio and 300 of Garrison Join Insurgents and Attack Torreon.

FIGHTING AT MANY POINTS

Chihuahua and Puebla, Private Dispatches Say, May Fall Today—United States Troops Sent to Guard the Border.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 22.—A trainload of infantry left Chihuahua last night for Parral to quell an insurrection which started at midnight. The miners at Parral have confiscated all the dynamite from the mines and are awaiting the soldiers.

Mexico City, Nov. 21.—Fierce fighting occurred to-day at Durango, Torreon, Parral and Gomez Palacio, the latter town falling into the hands of the rebels. Three hundred of the federal troops at Gomez Palacio are said to have gone over to the insurgents, who have now turned their attention to attacking the loyal forces at Torreon.

The fighting began at Durango at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and an hour later all the wires were cut.

It was reported here early to-day that Francisco J. Madero, the revolutionary leader, entered Mexico yesterday with six hundred followers at some point between Eagle Pass and Laredo, Tex.

General Geronimo Trevino, commander of the military zone in which Monterrey is situated, has gone north at the head of a strong body of troops to meet him. There has been much looting and many were killed and wounded at Gomez Palacio, according to reports here to-day.

It is reported on good authority that twenty-five persons have been killed at Zaratecas. The government troops, it is also reported, quelled the uprising there and are in control to-night.

The wires north of Monterrey have been cut, and no reports are obtainable from beyond that point. It is believed that the insurgents are responsible for the cutting of communications.

It is difficult to get authentic news from the north, the scene of the disturbances. At the American Embassy it was stated that no telegrams came to-day from consuls in the north, and the newspapers here have also been unable to secure anything.

The War Minister to-night, in explaining why troops were hurriedly sent to Coahuila, in the State of Vera Cruz, says it was feared that the rebels might dynamite the railroad bridges.

The Secret Service has been extremely active. In the last few days, it is said, two hundred arrests of agitators have been made here.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 21.—An unconfirmed report reached here to-night that six hundred federal soldiers at Chihuahua were suspected of disloyalty to the government and disbanded. According to the report, a company of rurales visited the barracks and carried away all the arms and ammunition.

San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 21.—Troop K, 3d United States Cavalry, Captain Arthur Thayer in command, left here to-night in a special train for Del Rio. The troop is equipped for a stay of a month in the field. It is said that other troops will be sent from Fort San Houston within a day or two, to do duty along the Mexican border.

Troop L, 3d Cavalry, began entraining for Eagle Pass at a late hour to-night.

Washington, Nov. 21.—Private cipher dispatches received here to-night by persons in touch with the operations of Francisco J. Madero, the revolutionist leader in Mexico, state that Torreon and Gomez Palacio, two important railroad points, are in the hands of the revolutionists, and that the fall of Chihuahua, capital of the state of that name, and Puebla is expected to-morrow, hard fighting having occurred at both those places to-day. Agents of the Madero forces are said to be on their way to Washington to look after revolutionist interests here.

MEXICO STOPS TELEGRAPH

Commanders Wires from Capital on Plea of Military Need.

Laredo, Tex., Nov. 21.—The situation in Mexico appears to be serious to-night. For the first time in the fifteen years of operation, the leased wire of the Associated Press, from Laredo to Monterey and Mexico City, to-night was commandeered by the Mexican government on the plea of military need.

The Federal Telegraph circuit manager at Nuevo Laredo was ordered to cut off the Laredo office of The Associated Press to prevent the gleaming of information from messages moving over the wire. Those instructions emanated from the headquarters of the Federal Telegraphs in Mexico City, where it was explained that the government would require the full capacity of all its telegraphic facilities throughout the night.

Coming as it does after what was officially reported to have been a perfectly tranquil Sunday throughout the greater part of Mexico, broken only by a few almost insignificant disorders in the smaller places, this action on the part of the government would appear to lend substance to rumors of bloody riots at Zacatecas, Gomez, Palacios and Torreon, the authenticity of which had been in doubt.

These three important cities are situated in a region which has been disaffected for years. Gomez, Palacios and Torreon are cities of about 15,000 and 25,000 inhabitants, respectively, and are four miles apart in the Laguna district of Coahuila.

This territory was the scene of the insurrection in 1908, which was quickly quelled by the federal government and which is supposed to have resulted in

ANOTHER SLASH IN MEAT

Packers Cut All Lines from 1 to 2 Cents a Pound.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—A further reduction in the wholesale prices of dressed beef, mutton and pork was announced by packers to-day. Spareribs and dressed beef loins are reduced 1 cent a pound and beef ribs from 1 to 1 1/2 cents a pound. The sharpest reduction came in mutton loins, which were cut 2 cents a pound.

HAD 1,000 TACKS IN CLOTHES

Providence Policeman Sees Doctor After Arresting Man.

Providence, Nov. 21.—His entire suit of clothing filled with sharp tacks, so that it resembled a coat of barbed mail, Henry B. Griswold, who was recently released from an insane asylum, jumped suddenly on Patrolman Welcome U. Foye as the latter was patrolling the fashionable Elmwood district to-day. The policeman secured a butcher knife flourished by the man, but fell a victim to the tacks, which punctured and lacerated his face, hands and body severely in the struggle. At the police station physicians were called to attend both Foye and his prisoner.

An examination showed that there were more than one thousand tacks in Griswold's clothing, all arranged with the sharp ends pointing outward. His white linen collar, as well as his coat and trousers, were thus armored.

PRESIDENT IN A STORM

Gale Tosses the Cruisers—Mr. Taft a Good Sailor.

On Board the Cruiser Montana, Nov. 21 (by wireless).—President Taft was in reality on the high seas yesterday when the cruisers Tennessee and Montana were tossed about by a northwestern storm off the northern coast of Florida.

For hours the vessels battled against a forty-mile gale, and tumbled in the turbulent sea. The President proved that he is a good sailor, and thoroughly enjoyed the blow.

When the storm struck, the vessels' speed was reduced from seventeen to fifteen knots. Early to-day the gale abated, and in a fresh breeze the vessels steamed with renewed speed toward the Capes. It is expected that Cape Hatteras will be reached early Tuesday morning, and that the President will disembark at Norfolk Tuesday noon.

TAXICAB SMASHES COUPE

Mrs. H. P. Loomis Hurt When Vehicles Come Together.

A richly gowned woman, said by her driver to be Mrs. Henry P. Loomis, of Tuxedo Park, N. Y., was shaken up, but not seriously hurt, in a collision between her coupe and a taxicab at 48th street and Fifth avenue late last night. The coupe, a horse drawn vehicle, was driven by Charles Kearney.

Patrolman Lubau ran up and found Kearney lying in the street. The driver said he was not much hurt. Mrs. Loomis, who had been thrown against the side of the coupe, said she had received a slight bump on the side of her head.

The right door of the coupe was smashed and so was one of the lamps. The taxicab was driven by John McQueeney, of No. 201 West 77th street. He said his car had skidded and he could not avoid a collision.

CAB DRIVER BADLY BEATEN

Strikers Attack Him in Front of Metropolitan Opera House.

Bernard Kearney, of No. 46 West 52nd street, a driver employed by the Mason Stable Company, was pulled from the seat of his cab and brutally assaulted by a mob of twenty or thirty striking taxicab chauffeurs in front of the Metropolitan Opera House last night. The attack was witnessed by hundreds of persons.

The strikers approached him in small groups and gathered in one body as they neared the rig. Then some of them suddenly stepped up on the hubs of the front wheels and took hold of Kearney who struggled to free himself from their grasp.

The men got their victim to the street and the crowd started at him calling him "scab." He was kicked and punched, despite the protests of bystanders who were awed by the numbers of the strikers. Kearney pleaded with his assailants to let him go, but they paid no attention to him.

One of the gang saw a policeman coming and warned his companions. They disappeared. When the policeman arrived he found Kearney lying on the sidewalk bleeding from many cuts. He called an ambulance from New York Hospital where the injured man was taken. His most serious hurt was a deep cut over the right eye.

J. P. MORGAN IN WASHINGTON

Some Persons There Think His Visit Connected with Trouble in Mexico.

Washington, Nov. 21.—J. Pierpont Morgan arrived in Washington to-night. Seen by newspaper men Mr. Morgan described his visit as a social one. Though he did not say so, it is thought possible by some persons here that the revolution in Mexico may have some connection with his presence at the capital. He will remain over to-morrow.

WOULD-BE CADET DIES

Overstudy Kills Candidate for United States Military Academy.

Baltimore, Nov. 21.—Following a mental collapse brought on from overstudy, William Mitchell, nineteen years old, of South Dakota, a candidate for entrance to the United States Military Academy at West Point, died in a hospital here to-day. Heart disease was given as the direct cause of death. Mitchell was studying at Annapolis when he broke down.

APOPLEXY KILLS B. F. DILLON.

Atlanta, Nov. 21.—B. F. Dillon, general superintendent of the Southern Division of the Western Union Telegraph Company with offices in this city, died shortly after 11 o'clock to-night. He was stricken with apoplexy.

DEAD AT 13; WEIGHED 14 POUNDS.

Canyonville, Ore., Nov. 21.—Minnie Pickett, thirteen years old and weighing only fourteen pounds, died to-day. She is believed to have been the smallest person in the world for her age.

No THANKSGIVING TABLE should be without a lot of Angostura Bitters, the most famous of all medicinal liquors, of exquisite flavor. Refuse substitutes.

TO STAND OR FALL ON IRISH HOME RULE

Liberals, if Returned to Power, Will Grant Ireland a Separatist Parliament.

PLEDGE BY LLOYD-GEORGE

Lord Lansdowne to Present Resolutions Giving Commons Control of All Financial Legislation and Providing for a Referendum.

London, Nov. 21.—Home Rule for Ireland is practically certain if the Liberals are returned to power at the general election with a working majority. Chancellor Lloyd-George definitely stated to-night that "the Liberal government stood absolutely by the position taken up by the Prime Minister in his Albert Hall speech of last year in the matter of Irish self-government."

The House of Lords at present blocks the way to the passage of a Home Rule bill, but if Mr. Asquith comes back successfully from the polls the veto bill reducing the upper house to the position of a consultative and advisory chamber will become a law, as the peers would rather accept it than see a wholesale addition of Liberals to the peerage.

Meanwhile it is becoming clearer every day that the veto conference broke down over the question of Home Rule, though the subject itself may not have been specifically mentioned.

Lord Lansdowne, in the House of Lords, to-night outlined an alternative scheme to the government's plan for the readjustment of the relations between the two houses, and the only essential difference in this plan from the Liberal proposal is the provision for referring any matter of great gravity which has not been adequately submitted to the judgment of the people for a decision of the electors by referendum.

The Unionists are in high feather over this latest coup on the part of Lord Lansdowne, which has the dual object of spoiling the veto bill and barring the way to an Irish Parliament.

London, Nov. 21.—The Lords to-day presented their case to the country in the coming electoral struggle, a case which John E. Redmond, leader of the Nationalists, in a speech at Islington to-night, characterized as "metaphorically committing suicide as fast as possible."

It is understood that the resolutions which Lord Lansdowne gave notice he would introduce on Wednesday represent the attitude taken by the Unionist side in the veto conference and the rock on which the conference foundered. These resolutions are as follows:

It is desirable that provision be made for settling differences that may arise between the House of Commons and the House of Lords, reduced in numbers in accordance with the recent resolutions of this House.

That as to bills other than money bills such provision should be made on the following lines:

If a difference arises between the houses in regard to any bill other than a money bill in two successive sessions, and during an interval of not less than one year, and such difference are unable to be adjusted by other means, it shall be settled at a joint sitting composed of the members of the two houses, provided that if the measure relates to a matter of great gravity and has not been adequately submitted to the judgment of the people, it shall not be referred to a joint sitting, but submitted for decision to the electors by a referendum.

That as to money bills the provision should be on the following lines:

The Lords are to forego their constitutional right to reject and amend money bills which are of a purely financial character, provided that such provision is made against "tacking," and provided that any question arises as to whether a bill is of a purely financial character, that question shall be referred to a joint sitting of both houses, with the Speaker of the House of Commons as chairman, and who shall have a casting vote only. If the committee holds that the bill or the provisions in question are not of a financial character, they shall be dealt with forthwith at a joint sitting of the houses.

The Liberals contend that the adoption of these resolutions would render future Liberal governments as powerless as ever against the House of Lords. The present situation appears to be that the House of Lords will discuss these resolutions, instead of passing the second reading of the veto bill.

The session of the House of Lords to-day was devoted to the veto bill, the Earl of Crewe introducing this measure for a second reading. Lord Lansdowne, leader of the Opposition, after criticizing the bill, moved an adjournment until Wednesday, at which time he promised to introduce his resolutions, breaking the deadlock of the two houses. The adjournment was taken without division.

The country is now too busily engaged in preparations for the elections to take much interest in the doings of the expiring Parliament. Austen Chamberlain, in a letter published to-night, declares that the maximum duty the tariff reformers will propose on foreign wheat will be two shillings a quarter; that Colonial wheat shall be duty free and flour taxed somewhat higher, to encourage home milling.

Chancellor Lloyd-George, at the East End, London, to-night made a great play on the American dollar agitation. He asked since when had the British aristocracy started despising dollars. Many of the noble houses, tottering, had their foundations restored by a pile of American dollars, and he added, in twenty years \$80,000,000 had been paid by the children of Irish peasants across the sea in cruel rack rents to aristocratic Irish landlords. He denounced Roschery's and Lansdowne's reform proposals as useless shams.

The meeting at which the Chancellor spoke was disturbed by suffragettes, some of whom were ejected.

\$30,000 FOR THIRSTY ANIMALS.

Sacramento, Cal., Nov. 21.—In her will, filed to-day, Mrs. Florence Coleman, a pioneer of this city, bequeathes \$30,000 for the construction of a fountain for beasts and birds. Large bequests are made to societies for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals.

THANKSGIVING DINNER WINES.

Champagne, Sherry, Madeira or Grape Juice. H. T. Dewey & Sons Co., 125 Fulton St., N. Y.

OFFICIALS OF BURR BROTHERS, INC., TAKEN IN BIG RAID.

From left to right—Eugene H. Burr, secretary-treasurer; Shelton C. Burr, president, and Marshal Henkel.



SHELTON C. BURR. The Young Head of the Alleged Stock Swindling Concern.

STRAY BULLET KILLS HEIR TO FORTUNE

Street Fight Results Fatally for French Woman as She Was Talking to Friend.

As she stood in front of No. 139 West 28th street last night laughing with a friend over news received from France yesterday that she had fallen heir to a small fortune, Lucie Chabened, thirty-eight years old, of Ridgefield, N. J., was shot dead by a stray bullet fired in a row between two men. While she lay on the sidewalk after the shooting two diamond rings were taken from her fingers, according to the police.

Bearing a black mourning band, a letter came from a notary in Bordeaux, France, yesterday telling the woman that money had been left to her. She immediately went to the rooms of her close friend in the 28th street house and told her of the good fortune which had befallen her. Then she departed, at about 7 o'clock, to see a notary.

At about 10:30 o'clock the woman returned. She met her chum at the stoop and they stood talking. Two men passed them. They suddenly commenced to quarrel and the women went up on the stoop. One of the men drew a revolver and aimed at the man with him. He pulled the trigger as his intended victim ran away. The bullet struck Mrs. Chabened in the left breast.

Patrolman Devlin, of the West 20th street station, heard the shot from his post in Seventh avenue. He saw a man running toward Sixth avenue and chased him. The man got away and Devlin turned back to call an ambulance. Dr. Armstrong, of the New York Hospital, pronounced the woman dead. The police do not think that the alleged robbery of the woman had any bearing on the shooting.

The police have no description of the man who fired the shot. Those who saw the shooting vary in their descriptions of him. Lucile De Merville, the dead woman's friend, says that she could not describe the man. He got away so quickly that she did not see him. She saw the shooting took place in the street so much by surprise that no one except Devlin thought of chasing him.

The block in which the shooting occurred is occupied principally by boarding houses. As the revolver was discharged heads appeared at every window, and the residents ran into the street to see what the trouble was. The sound of the shot also drew a large crowd from Sixth avenue.

MAYOR HAS FUN AT MINISTERS' DINNER

Tells Them They Haven't Quite Reformed World in 2,000 Years, So Don't Hurry Him.

Mayor Gaynor delivered his own speech at a public dinner last night for the first time since the attempt on his life last summer. He addressed the four or five hundred members of the Collegiate Club of New York, who held their annual dinner in the grand ballroom of the Waldorf, in commemoration of the 250th anniversary of the Collegiate Reformed Church of Harlem. The gathering was held mostly of church people from Harlem, affiliated with the Dutch Reformed Church, and many ministers of that denomination were present.

The Mayor surprised his audience with the strength of his voice, and had little difficulty in making himself heard in all parts of the ballroom. He told the ministers and numerous women present that it was refreshing to attend a dinner where there was no tobacco smoke to smart his eyes, and none of the "usual accessories," which he did not mention. The Mayor also spoke of the "yellow newspapers" that made more noise than all the rest of the papers put together, but are of little account.

RINGS TAKEN FROM FINGERS

Man Who Fired Shot and His Intended Victim Escape—Police Don't Connect Shooting and Robbery.

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CHAMBERLAIN HYDE FRETS

Gaynor's Bodyguard Surprised He Speaks in Public—Tells of Some Complaints He Gets from Citizens.

The Mayor stole a march on some of his closest friends who are inclined to constitute themselves as his bodyguard and went to the dinner alone. They had admonished him strongly not to attempt to use his voice and to come home early, but he stealthily took the matter in his own hands and whisked to the Waldorf in his automobile unaccompanied.

City Chamberlain Hyde stood in the hotel lobby while the Mayor was upstairs, as nervous as a boy out of school, until the Mayor finally came down, shook hands with him and assured him he was all right. The City Chamberlain

ARMY-NAVY FOOTBALL

Saturday, November 26, Franklin Field, Philadelphia. Pennsylvania Railroad special trains direct to grounds leave New York 10:25, 10:40 and 10:55 A. M. Returning thirty minutes after game. Round trip Pullman tickets \$6.00. Regular trains leave Broad St. Station, Philadelphia, at 8:25, 9:25 and 9:55 A. M. Consult C. Studds, D. P. A., 282 Fifth Ave., New York.—Adv.

RAIDS MADE ON BIG FRAUD CHARGE

Postoffice Pounces on Burr Brothers and Continental Wireless Concerns.

FOUR PROMOTERS ARRESTED

Reviewing Crusade, Government Says \$100,000,000 Have Been Filched from People in Five Years.

In pursuance of the government's crusade to root stock jobbers who are victimizing investors all over the country, postoffice inspectors, backed by detectives from Headquarters, swooped down yesterday on Burr Brothers, Incorporated, a stock selling concern in the Flatiron Building, and the offices of the Continental Wireless Telephone and Telegraph Company and other concerns at No. 56 Pine street. Four arrests were made in this city, and it is expected that other arrests were made in other parts of the country or will be made to-day.

Frank H. Hitchcock, Postmaster General, and Robert S. Sharpe, chief postoffice inspector, have both been in New York since last Thursday, though their presence was not made known except to the officers entrusted with the execution of the warrants. Both were at the office of Warren W. Dickson, postoffice inspector in charge of this district, when the arrests were made, and they are still here to-day. It is expected that other arrests will follow, both in these cases and in those of other companies that have been under investigation.

Shelton C. Burr, president; Frank H. Tobey, vice-president, and Eugene H. Burr, secretary and treasurer of Burr Brothers, were first brought in, and when they could not supply \$100,000 bail they were taken to the Tombs by Marshal Henkel. A little later, when the offices of the Continental Wireless company were raided, Charles L. Vaughan, former treasurer of that organization, now treasurer of the Columbia Finance Company and assistant treasurer of the Collins Wireless Telephone Company, of Newark, N. J., was the only one found in charge. He too went to the Tombs in default of \$10,000 bail.

E. W. Preston, a director of Burr Brothers, was arrested last night in Portland, Ore., on a warrant charging him with using the United States mails to defraud. He was about to start for San Francisco. His bail was fixed at \$15,000.

Raids Please Hitchcock. Postmaster General Hitchcock was well pleased with the way the raids were conducted. With the full approval and indorsement of President Taft, he said, he has determined to drive out of business, so far as the Postoffice Department can do it, those who prey on the ignorant and the unwary by sending highly colored literature setting forth the alleged merits of fake concerns. For this purpose, he declared, he has to a certain extent reorganized the Postoffice Inspectors' Department by taking the best men in each district and calling them together to work for one common object.

The shake-up of the postoffice inspectors in charge was another move, he added, to the same end. Warren W. Dickson, now in charge in New York, met the approval of his chief in a marked manner.

"I knew Mr. Dickson was a man of nerve and courage, who could not be scared by the biggest concerns any more than by the small ones," said Mr. Hitchcock, "and that is why I sent him here. For the same reason I appointed Mr. Sharpe as chief inspector and I am well satisfied with the result."

After the arraignment of the four prisoners yesterday the Postmaster General issued the following statement: "The arrest to-day by postoffice inspectors of the principals in two important companies—Burr Brothers, with offices in the Flatiron Building, and the Continental Wireless Company, with headquarters at No. 56 Pine street—constitute two more cases in the series of investigations that the postal authorities have been making in their crusade against the fraudulent use of the United States mails. With the work accomplished to-day, seventy-eight such cases have been brought to a head during the year. It is estimated that the swindling operations of these seventy-eight cases have filched from the American people in a period of five years over \$100,000,000.

PLANS LAID MONTHS AGO.

"The crusade now in progress is the result of a carefully laid plan of some months ago, the first step in which was a thorough reorganization of the inspection service, with the selection of a new Chief Postoffice Inspector and certain changes and reassignments in the force of inspectors in charge of the fifteen inspection divisions.

"As soon as the reorganization was effected, instructions were issued to the newly assigned inspectors in charge to take up and prosecute vigorously all pending cases of frauds against the mails. Owing to the extent of these cases and the large amount of work involved, it was necessary to detail for the purpose of investigation a considerable portion of the force of postoffice inspectors. The best men in the service were selected for this work, and were sent to their tasks with the assurance that the department at Washington would back them up to the fullest extent in their work of prosecution.

"In order to strike at the root of this evil, the department directed its agents to go after the men higher up in these gigantic schemes to defraud and to allow no influence, however powerful, to prevent the proper punishment of the offenders. Through the assistance of the Attorney General, the full co-operation of his department was secured in the successful carrying out of this crusade.

"As the work of investigation proceeded, it became apparent that the fraudulent use of the mails was far more far-reaching than had been realized by the department. A vast system of fraud, as extensive in its ramifications as the postal service itself, had been developed by unscrupulous men, who

THE SLAUGHTER CONTINUES

Day's Toll of Dead Four on Western Hunting Grounds.

St. Paul, Nov. 21.—Within the last twenty-four hours seven hunting accidents have been reported, four of which have proved fatal. The dead are Guy Badger, of Grand Rapids, Minn., found in the woods with a bullet in his head; Garfield Larson, a student, of St. Peter, Minn., accidentally shot; Marshall Stevens, Madison, Wis., shot by companion, and V. H. Qualle, drowned, when the ice broke on Lake Riley, while he was on a hunting trip.

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 20.—There are approximately 26,000 deer hunters in the woods of Michigan, according to estimates made in the office of the State Game and Fish Warden here. Of those 21,000 are in the upper peninsula and the other 5,000 in the lower Michigan. There have been 127 permits to ship deer carcasses out of the state issued to date.

BIPLANE DEFEATS AUTO

Grahame-White Wins Race—Miss Sears Again a Passenger.

Philadelphia, Nov. 21.—Miss Eleanor Sears, of Boston, and Miss Violet Ridgway, well known in society here and in New York, were passengers of Claude Grahame-White in his Farman biplane at the aero meet here to-day. Clifford B. Harmon made his first flight here. Mr. Harmon took up Samuel King, the father of ballooning in America, for a short flight. The veteran balloonist after the flight said he preferred travel in the air by the old method.

In addition to his flights with passengers, Grahame-White made a trip to League Island in his biplane and defeated an automobile driven by Harvey Ringler in a four-mile race, covering the distance in 7 minutes and 46 seconds. The English aviator also made a flight in his Blériot monoplane.

RICH WOMAN PICKPOCKET

Boston Prisoner's Property Valued at Several Thousand Dollars.

Boston, Nov. 21.—Unable to resist the desire for their ever prompting her, Mrs. Virginia Calnan, known as the richest pickpocket in the world, is again in the toils. She was held in \$300 for a hearing to-morrow by Judge Parmenter, in the Municipal Criminal Court, charged with picking the pocket of Lillian Casey, of Lynn, to-day in Washington street, in the shopping district.

Mrs. Calnan's case is one of the strangest known to the local police, for she is the wife of a former well known business man and has a number of children and owns considerable property in Dorchester. Mrs. Calnan has long been a source of wonder to the police. She has the best of home surroundings and does not need the small sums she steals. She owns property in Cambridge and Dorchester worth many thousands of dollars.

SYRACUSE LONG IN DARKNESS.

Thirty Cables Burn Out at Power Plant—Streets Almost Impassable.

Syracuse, Nov. 21.—Syracuse was in darkness for hours to-night, due to the burning out of thirty cables at the power plant of the Syracuse Lighting Company.

Buildings not having their own power plants were forced to resort to the use of gas or candles. Business streets were almost impassable on account of the darkness. The accident at the power plant demoralized the service of the telegraph companies.

QUEEN ELIZABETH ILL.