

PRINCESS ENA IS MOVED BY MERCY

Pleads With King and Saves Man From Death on Scaffold.

MADRID, May 27.—The first notable act of Princess Ena of Battenberg since her arrival in Spain to become the bride of King Alfonso XIII. has been to induce the King to pardon Fernando Lopera, who was condemned to death, after an exciting trial. The dramatic circumstances under which the pardon was given, the condemned man was going to the gallows, attracts widespread attention and further augments the popularity of Princess Ena.

Just Saved From Scaffold.

Lopera was to have been executed in the neighboring town of Badajoz, but the population solicited Princess Ena's intercession, and she spoke to the King, who consulted with his Ministers, and after a Cabinet council the Government resolved to grant the request, as it was the first petition the Princess had made since her arrival. The King issued a pardon, and a telegram announcing this fact reached the prison at Badajoz half an hour before the time set for the execution. The march of the condemned man about to begin when a messenger brought word of the pardon.

People Sing Praises.

There were remarkable scenes of rejoicing. The townspeople formed a procession and sang the praises of their Queen. The people of Madrid also highly approve the Princess's humane intervention and the newspapers comment upon the coming Queen's first act as being one of mercy.

More Royal Ceremonies.

The Prado palace was again the scene of royal ceremonies today, the ideal weather permitting of open air religious services on the lawns of the palace, where the military bishop celebrated mass.

It was a pretty sight, with the brilliant uniforms of the soldiers forming a background for the royal personages.

Interested in Soldiers.

Princess Ena's interest in the Spanish uniforms led King Alfonso to summon six soldiers, representing the various arms and accoutrements. This was a source of special satisfaction to the influential army element. The Cabinet Ministers have had their share in the prevailing enthusiasms over Alfonso's fiancée. Premier Moret expressed his official view while drinking a toast to the Princess Addressing King Alfonso, the Premier said: "Sire, you have brought us a treasure. May the God make us worthy to conserve it."

TERRORISTS AT WORK

Bombs Thrown at Russian Generals in Streets of Tiflis.

TIFLIS, May 27.—While Gov.-Gen. Timonoff and Chief of Police Martynoff were driving today, bombs were thrown at them. Neither was injured, but a Cosack belonging to their escort was killed. The crime was attempted in the center of the town, a few rods from the scene of the assassination of Gen. Griaznov, chief of staff of the Viceroy, the Cosack, who was killed by a bomb explosion on January 19 last.

Two Bombs Thrown.

Gen. Timonoff and Chief of Police Martynoff were riding in separate carriages, on their way to attend the coronation anniversary of Tsar Demetrius at the cathedral. Two bombs were thrown simultaneously, one of them falling to explode. Chief of Police Martynoff, who was riding in the rear, was struck by one of the terrorists, but the other escaped. Gov.-Gen. Timonoff's coachman was wounded.

The city is agitated, fearing an armed outbreak.

STORM ADDS TO MISERY

Tents of 'Frisco Refugees Flooded by Great Fall of Rain.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—A heavy rainstorm swept over this city and surrounding country last night and today, damaging truck gardens, flooding basements and bringing much discomfort and misery to the refugees camped out on low ground. One and fifteen-hundredths inches of rain fell, which is the heaviest rainfall for this late season of the year since 1884.

Driven Out of Tents.

The storm added much hardship to those sheltered in houses but who are still compelled to cook in their tents. Many parts of the city refugees camped in low places were driven out of their tents by the rush of water. Several stores on Fillmore street, which was impassable between Post and Eddy streets for a time, were flooded and many cellars inundated.

MORE 'QUAKE VICTIMS

Two Bodies Discovered in Ruins of a 'Frisco House.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—Two more victims of the earthquake and fire have been reported to the police. One is Fred Kinnear, aged 70, an ex-public official. His name answers the description of Zeller exactly. This man attempted suicide about two months ago by taking carbolic acid, but was recovered by the police and the doctors at the L. D. S. hospital managed, after a hard struggle, to save his life. Recently he is said to have brooded over the fact that his wife has left him and is now living at Ogden.

Think They Know Him.

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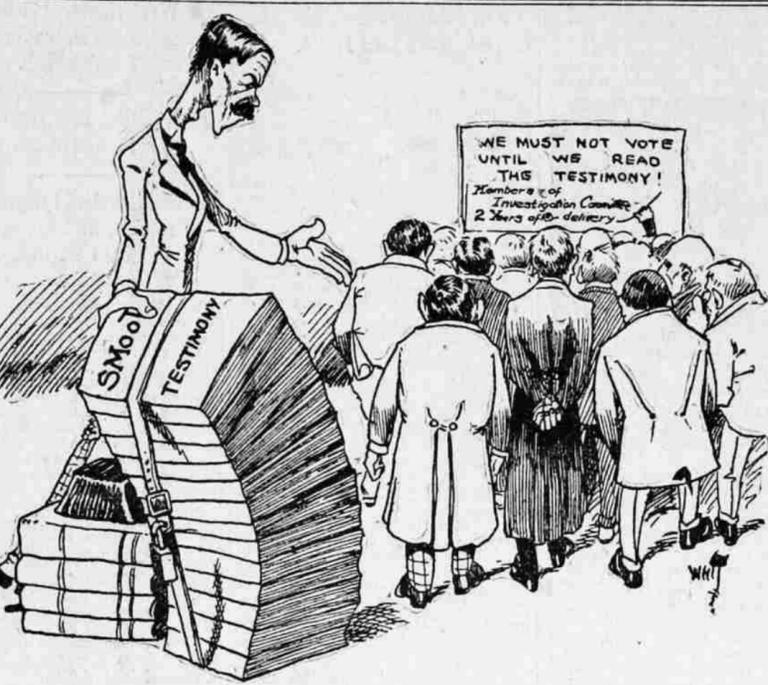
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Smoot—"Gentlemen, for Heaven's Sake DON'T Read the Testimony!"

UNKNOWN STRANGER ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Buy's Pistol, Presses Muzzle to Breast and Pulls the Trigger.

WEAPON WOULD NOT WORK, AND LIFE SAVED

Man Believed to Be a Well-Known Ex-Public Official.

A fairly prosperous looking stranger, about 40 years of age, entered the Zeller pawnshop, 33 Commercial street, at 8:30 o'clock Sunday evening, purchased a pistol, placed a cartridge in one of the empty chambers, pressed the muzzle against his left breast and pulled the trigger. There would have been work for the coroner—if the gun hadn't missed fire.

Who the man is and what his reasons were for attempting self-slaughter are questions which the police are as yet unable to answer.

Acted Suspiciously.

To young H. Zeller, who waited on him, the man appeared both intoxicated and unduly excited. There was something in his manner as he asked Zeller to show him a cheap revolver, that caused the young man to suspect that all was not right. He made up his mind immediately that a deadly weapon was not a proper thing to place in the stranger's possession. He immediately stepped back and revivifying part of the weapon which was out of order.

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Young Zeller, now assured of his customer's intentions, rushed upon him from around the counter and wrested the gun from his hands. The stranger immediately darted through the doorway and disappeared.

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Forest Fire in West Virginia.

CUMBERLAND, Md., May 27.—Forest fires in the vicinity of Parsons and Davle, W. Va., have destroyed lumber plants, and a standing timber valued at over \$100,000.

DEATH COMES IN BOLT FROM SKY

At Mobile, Ala., Lightning Kills Five Persons, Striking in Crowd.

MOBILE, Ala., May 27.—During a ball game three miles from this city this afternoon lightning struck in the midst of the crowd of spectators, killing five and more or less injuring twenty-five others.

Dead.

DONALD TOUART, aged 21. STEVEN TOUART, 19. ARTHUR MOODY, 19. JOHN GREEN, a negro. CHARLES THOMAS, a negro. Seriously Injured.

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LID IS PUT ON IN OLD KENTUCKY

City of Louisville Is "Dry" All Day, and Thirsty Ones Swear.

ONE HEBREW WHO KEPT SATURDAY IS FORTUNATE

Even the Ball Park Comes Under the Ban of the New Law.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 27.—Scores of corner pumps, with the handles removed and signs derisively announcing "closed, it's sinful to drink on Sunday," brought home to early-rising householders in many sections of the city the fact that Louisville today was for the first time in many years dry as Popet.

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MUCH HARD WORK AHEAD OF SENATE

Big Appropriation Bills and Panama Canal Question to Be Taken Up.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The Senate is counting on a busy week, and the prospect is favorable to long work-days and few interruptions. After Monday there will be at least two appropriation bills ready for consideration, and the sea-level canal bill, having been made the unfinished business, will be pressed as steadily as circumstances will permit. In addition, conferees will be appointed on the railroad rate bill; the nomination of Mr. Barnes to be postmaster of the city of Washington will receive attention, and the bill declaring a policy in the matter of the purchase of Panama canal supplies will be considered.

Will Discuss Canal Type.

The Senate manifests a disposition to devote serious consideration to the canal type bill. When it is taken up Senator Kittredge will present a speech of considerable length the reasons which compelled the majority of the Committee on Inter-oceanic Canals to report in favor of the sea-level plan. It is now expected that he will speak Monday, and it is understood that his address will be the first of a series on the subject. On Tuesday Senator Millard, chairman of the canal committee, will present a report giving the views of the minority members in favor of a lock canal.

Pressing Appropriations.

The general plan is to press the consideration of the appropriation bills as speedily as possible. The postoffice and amusements bills are ready for consideration early in the week, but it is not yet decided which will be given preference. Both will present features that will arouse debate, and it is a foregone conclusion that special attention will be given to the provision in the naval bill for a new battleship.

Waiting on Senator Tillman.

Two matters have been waiting some time for the return of Senator Tillman from South Carolina. These are the appointment of conferees on the rate bill and the further consideration of the Barnes nomination. Mr. Tillman expected to be in his seat Monday. The rate bill conferees, of whom the South Carolina members will be named, will be named then, and it is expected that the conference will begin as soon as Mr. Tillman can conclude his work in connection with the Barnes case.

Bill Carries \$90,000,000.

Work on the sundry civil appropriation bill will begin in the House this week. This bill is larger and carries more money than any preceding sundry civil act. The aggregate will be in the neighborhood of \$90,000,000. There will be a great deal of work on the part of the Senate speakers relating to items affecting their particular home districts, and Chairman Tawney estimates that it will require fully a week to consider and pass the bill.

No Holiday Wednesday.

It is planned that no adjournment will be taken for the observation of Decoration day Wednesday. The Democratic tribune to emphasize to the country that no progress is apparent on the statehood agreement is consuming considerable time in the House. It calls to determine the preliminary quorum have been each day's session, with few exceptions, and Minority Leader Williams has been his usual vigorous courage by a "round robin" from his colleagues to continue these methods. The statehood conferees announce that an agreement on the measure is in sight and may be reported during the week.

INSPECTING MANCHURIA

Japanese Officer About to Start on Important Mission.

TOKIO, May 27.—Vice-Admiral Togo, General Kuroki and Marquis Ito, with a suite of admirals and generals, will start shortly on a tour of inspection in Manchuria.

KILLED BY BOMBS

Russian Terrorists Are Busy During Review of Troops.

SEBASTOPOL, May 27.—Several bombs were thrown here today while a review of troops was being held after the Te Desm in celebration of the anniversary of the Emperor's coronation.

MRS. HOWE'S BIRTHDAY

BOSTON, May 27.—Mrs. Julia Ward Howe passed her 75th birthday at her home here today in good health. Surrounded by her children the venerable authoress observed the anniversary with a little family party.

DOG ON TRIAL

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OGDEN ATTORNEY LOSES HIS LIFE

Elijah Farr Meets Horrible Death in an Elevator Shaft.

OGDEN, May 27.—Elijah Farr, one of the bright young attorneys of Ogden, met a horrible death in the elevator of the First National bank building at 2:30 this afternoon. So far as can be learned, the deplorable accident was due to his own carelessness and to the fact that he had undertaken to climb into the elevator from the basement, and when he attempted to crawl out he grabbed the rope that raises the cage and was caught between the floor of the cage and the roof of the basement. His neck was broken and he hung until the cage was lowered, the latter operation being performed some twenty minutes later.

CAUGHT BETWEEN CAGE AND FLOOR OF BASEMENT

Mr. Farr was accompanied by William McPherson, Farr had been occupying rooms in the First National bank building where he maintained his office. He is said to have been in the habit of leaving the key in the elevator. The elevator stops running on Sundays after 12 o'clock. The attorney, who was alone, wanted to go to his office, and with McPherson, went into the basement under the elevator shaft. There, with the assistance of McPherson, he climbed to the floor of the cage, the floor of which was about six feet above the floor of the basement and about two feet below the ceiling of the basement, leaving an opening of about two feet. He reached the interior of the cage, secured the key and passed it out to McPherson.

How Accident Occurred.

He then tried to get out and down and McPherson, seeing him, when he grabbed the rope that starts the elevator upward. The cage ascended and his head was caught between the floor of the cage and the roof of the basement. The force was sufficient to break his neck and the body hung suspended until help was secured and it was released.

Body Is Removed.

It was at once removed to the undertaking establishment of Larkin & Son, but not until Sheriff Sebring had seen it and had given orders for its disposition. The Sheriff also very promptly impounded a jury, and an inquest was held at an early hour tomorrow, as it is the purpose to remove the remains to his late home. The jury consisted of Louis Taylor, John Meter and J. W. Williams.

Youngest Son of Lorin Farr.

Elijah Farr was the youngest son of aged Lorin Farr and of Nicoline Farr, and was born on December 23, 1887, in the same home where his body will be taken tomorrow for the last sad rites. He is survived by seventeen brothers and twelve sisters, the far family being one of the largest in the church, and by his aged father, Lorin Farr, who will be 86 next July if he survives, and by his mother.

Was Somewhat Eccentric.

Elijah Farr was a capable but slightly eccentric man. In his youth and during his young manhood he showed at times brilliant ability. He was a graduate of the law school at Ann Arbor in the class of 1890, when he was 23 years of age, and was third in his class. He was unmarried and leaves only his parents and his brothers and sisters to mourn him.

Date for Funeral Not Set.

GROOM IS KIDNAPED

ANN ARBOR, Mich., May 27.—The wedding festivities of C. Vaughn Jones of Evanston, Ill., and Miss Inez M. Gibson of this city last evening, were rudely interrupted just after the conclusion of the ceremony in the Episcopal church, when members of the Sigma Xi fraternity kidnaped the groom. All the time the reception was in progress Mr. Jones was held a captive, and was not returned to his bride until midnight.

GUARDED THEIR VICTIMS.

The hazing party was not through, however. The members insisted on entertaining the happy (?) couple until 1 o'clock this morning, and then withdrew, only to form a guard around the hotel so that their victims could not escape on their wedding trip.

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