

man's first husband, became a factor in the case today when he declared that suspicious circumstances surrounded the death of Graunke, and that the case had puzzled him for seven years. He now believes the man died of chronic arsenic poisoning. Heart disease was the cause his death was ascribed to at the time.

The woman maintained her wonderful composure when she attended the funeral of the dead boy yesterday, guarded by two city detectives and a police matron. Sitting across from the coffin, she declared that her son's spirit was talking to her, and protesting against the injustice of his mother being charged with his murder.



"Little one, I would swim the ocean to be at your side!"

"How nice of you, Jack; when are you coming to see me again?"

"Wednesday night, if it doesn't rain."

Baking soda rubbed daily on a wart is said to be a cure.

## THE G. O. P. GABFEST

The southern negro delegates haven't decided whom they are going to nominate yet.

But Chauncey M. Depew, who blew in yesterday, said the best thing yet, about our convention.

"It's going to be fine funeral weather in November," said Chauncey. "But there seems to be some doubt as to who is going to get the biggest boral offering."

The delegates from Hillsville, Va., are for Roosevelt. Hillsville, you will recall, is the place where the Allens objected to going to jail.

Illinois delegates bucked today, but after fight, passed motion to back Roosevelt in temporary chairman fight 28 to 20.

Whereupon T. R. was sent for, and the Illinois delegation went into secret session, all prying outsiders being thrown out bodily.

Some of the southern negro delegates never ate so much chicken as they have in the last few days in all their lives.

They're real important persons, the southern delegates.

Taft managers are planning investigation into their charges of bribery by the national committee.

We are surprised at the Taft managers. The virtuous gentlemen of the national committee wouldn't know bribery if they met it face to face—while anyone was looking.

"Fight 'em; fight 'em; fight em; fight 'em—eat 'em alive."—Rebel yell of the Roosevelt men.