

OFFICERS KIDNAP WEALTHY YOUTH AMMUNITION IN FACE, HE TELLS AGENT

HABEAS CORPUS RELEASES HIM TEMPORARILY

Is Alleged to Be Wanted in New York on a Serious Charge—Father Calls It Black-mail

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—Robert W. Fullerton, who was arrested at Seattle and brought to this city on the steamer Watson by two detectives from New York city, appeared in Superior Judge Seawell's court today with a petition for a writ of habeas corpus. He was remanded to the custody of the sheriff pending the final decision of the petition next Thursday.

Detective Fitzsimmons denied the statement that he used harsh measures in effecting the arrest of Fullerton. He said the young man was taken into custody by the Seattle police on the lieutenant governor's warrant and later turned over to him. He said that at the time the transfer of the prisoner was made he reached for his rear pocket to pull out a pair of handcuffs and that Fullerton said their use would not be necessary, as he would accompany the officers without resistance.

SEATTLE, Wash., May 12.—R. W. Fullerton, Cornell graduate and son of S. H. Fullerton of St. Louis, Mo., president of the Chicago Lumber and Coal company, was taken at the point of a gun by the New York detectives from his office Saturday noon, placed in an automobile and taken aboard the steamship Watson, just before sailing for San Francisco. The man and his kidnapers are bound for New York. The arrest was made upon request for a requisition by Governor Hughes of New York. John D. Collins, coast manager of the company, received a short, hurriedly scribbled note from Fullerton Sunday night as follows: "Am arrested and on my way to New York. Prerogative of habeas corpus denied me. Wire father full particulars. Too much ammunition in my face." The young man is charged with a crime against Gladys Hobart of New York city and with breach of promise. Requisition papers were obtained by Rowland Fitzsimmons as an agent of District Attorney Jerome Friday at Olympia.

Get Habeas Corpus. When the ship Watson came into port at 7:10 o'clock this morning Deputy Sheriff Martin Tierney stepped aboard and served the New York officers with a writ of habeas corpus made returnable before Judge Seawell at 10 o'clock this morning. At the hour Fullerton appeared in court. He was very pale and declared he was completely exhausted from the loss of sleep and lack of food, as he had nelted to eat anything since leaving Seattle last Sunday. He was represented by Attorney Peter Dunne, who stated to the court that Fullerton had been taken by violence and had never been allowed his rights. On the other hand, Assistant District Attorney Robert Harrison, representing the New York authorities, contended that the extradition papers had been regularly signed by the acting governor of Washington and that the deputies should be allowed to proceed east with their charge. A telegram from Acting Governor Coon of Washington was next read, in which he stated that he was willing to have the habeas corpus proceedings go on here. In view of this Judge Seawell set 10 o'clock this afternoon as the time to hear the case.

Declines to Talk. Acting on the advice of his attorney, Fullerton declined to make any statement for the press relative to the accusation against him. He was taken from the court room in an automobile and remained at the office of his attorney under guard until this afternoon's session.

When the hearing was resumed at 2 o'clock the New York detectives who brought Fullerton from Seattle filed an answer to the charges made by his attorney in their application for release on habeas corpus. The officers said in their answer that Fullerton was kidnaped and said that he was arrested in a regular form by the Seattle police. They also stated that the note he sent to John D. Collins was written at their suggestion and that they mailed it for him. Judge Seawell took the case under advisement and will render a decision on Thursday.

ALLEGED HE DESERTED GIRL IN SOUTH AMERICA

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, May 12.—When questioned as to the arrest of Robert W. Fullerton in Seattle, Assistant District Attorney Perkins, who procured the indictment against the young man, refused to discuss the matter. It is charged that Fullerton on September 29 took Gladys Hobart on the steamer Trent, bound for South American ports, and that he deserted her in South America. She finally got back to New York, and Fullerton on February 29, 1908, was indicted on a charge resulting from the trip. Fullerton and the young woman, it is said, were co-eds at Cornell, where they first met, and it is reported that they were engaged to be married. She is now said to be a school teacher. Her

RECIPE FOR ROSY CHEEKS. Go to your druggist and purchase the following: Two ounces of Rose Water, one ounce of Spirit of Cologne, four ounces Sartin.

Put the Sartin in a pint of hot water (not boiling), soft water being preferable. When dissolved and cooled, strain through a fine cloth, add the Rose Water and Spirit of Cologne. Apply immediately after washing and to only a portion of the skin at a time, using the bare hands. Never use a cloth. After one part is thus treated, proceed to another. This should be done twice a day or oftener, and no other lotion, powder or cream need be used.

April Cleanup \$50,000. RHYOLITE, Nev., May 12.—Thirteen bricks of bullion, valued at \$50,000, were shipped this afternoon from the Montgomery-Shoshone mine, consigned to the Selby smelter at Vallejo Junction, Cal. The shipment represented the mill cleanup for the month of April.

address could not be learned at the district attorney's office. Romyn Berry, a lawyer, said today that although he had heard of young Fullerton's arrest he had not enough information concerning the matter to discuss it.

HETTY GREEN RECIPIENT OF BLACK HAND LETTER

Writer Threatens Her with Death Unless She Gives Up \$50,000, and Detectives Are Put on Guard

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, May 12.—Reports which those responsible for them assert to be authentic, are in circulation to the effect that Mrs. Hetty Green, who is occupying apartments at the Plaza Hotel, recently received a "black hand" letter threatening her with death unless she gave \$50,000 to the writer. Since the receipt of the letter Mrs. Green when leaving the hotel for her office in the Chemical National Bank building has been accompanied by a detective. Formerly she was in the habit of going out alone. The threats have had the effect of causing the hotel detectives to pay particular attention to Mrs. Green, while she is in the building. She herself, it is said, has given the letters little consideration, but her guardians at the hotel have insisted upon taking extra precautions for her safety. The letter advised Mrs. Green to be in readiness to pay \$50,000 to a messenger who would call to see her, and stated that she would be wise if she maintained secrecy.

BRYAN'S SON-IN-LAW HAS NARROW ESCAPE

ITALIAN MODEL ATTEMPTS TO KILL HIM

Artist is Compelled to Defend Himself with a Knife After Having Been Knocked Down with a Club

By Associated Press. PARIS, May 12.—W. H. Leavitt, son-in-law of William J. Bryan, had a dangerous encounter yesterday with an Italian named Cana, who had been sitting for Mr. Leavitt as a model in connection with a picture which the American artist is painting for the city hall at Denver, Colo. After being released from his engagement Cana came repeatedly to the studio and demanded extra compensation. This was refused him. The model finally came back with a club, with which he struck Mr. Leavitt on the head. The artist was knocked down but he jumped up at once and defended himself with a knife. He slashed at Cana and cut him on the hand. The Italian was arrested and Mr. Leavitt was taken to a hospital. Mr. Leavitt was cut on the head by the blow from the club, but neither man is in a dangerous condition.

LEAVES FOR EUROPE TO SECURE OPERA SINGERS

Manager of New York Metropolitan Company Will Scour Continent in Search of Voices Unheard in America

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, May 12.—To seek in Europe new voices for the Metropolitan opera company, Andreas Dippel, joint manager with Gustav Cassza of the company's affairs, calls today on the steamer Kron Princessin Cecile. He will go first to London, after which he will visit Paris, Berlin, Beyreuth and Munich. Speaking of his intended trip, Mr. Dippel said: "I intend making a thorough search for new voices to be heard in the German opera next season. I am in hopes of finding several singers who have never been heard here."

LAST COUNT SHOWS BIG INCREASE OF IDLE CARS

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, May 12.—There was a further increase of idle freight cars in the United States and Canada April 29 over the previous high record established two weeks earlier. According to a report of the American Railway association there were 413,238 idle cars, an increase of 37,174 over April 15. The total increase for April was 105,359 cars. Last October there was shortage of cars amounting to \$6,811. Of the 413,339 cars 147,826 were box cars, 24,308 were flats and 186,726 coal cars. The report represents 153 railroads, with an aggregate freight car equipment of about 2,200,000. This means that 19 per cent of the country's cars are now stationary.

POLICE AND DETECTIVES LOOK FOR DYNAMITERS

By Associated Press. PENSACOLA, Fla., May 12.—Police and private detectives made every effort last night and today to locate the persons guilty of the dynamiting of a street car operated by strike breakers last night. No arrests have been made. The attempt to assassinate the motorman and conductor aroused considerable feeling. Neither motorman nor conductor was seriously hurt.

PRESIDENT RECEIVES JAPANESE DELEGATION

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Society

AN ENGAGEMENT which will cause pleasant surprise to many friends is that of Mrs. Claire Wright Abercrombie of St. Joseph, Mo., and Frank W. Hirsch, manager of Hotel Melrose. Mrs. Abercrombie, who visited during the winter at the home of Miss Mira Keller on West Thirty-sixth street, possesses a personality of much charm and has numerous friends both in this city and in her own home. The engagement was known to only a few and the date of the marriage has not yet been determined, but will take place during the middle of June. Mr. Hirsch and his bride-elect on their wedding tour will visit New York, Niagara Falls, Atlantic City and other points of interest in the east, being absent about three months. Upon their return to the city they will be at home at Hotel Melrose.

SOON TO BECOME BRIDE

MRS. CLAIRE WRIGHT ABERCROMBIE

For Barmore-Britt Wedding. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Britt of West Twenty-eighth street have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Constantine Whitmore Britt, to David S. Barmore, which will take place the evening of June 3 in St. John's Episcopal church. At the conclusion of the ceremony a reception will be held at the Ebell club house.

Miss Britt, who is one of the most charming and popular of the season's brides-elect, was special guest at a theater party given yesterday afternoon at the Orpheum by Miss Hazel Kirkpatrick. After the theater the guests were entertained at a highly enjoyable luncheon at Christopher's, the table being decked with flowers and greenery. Miss Kirkpatrick's guests were Mrs. Richard K. Hirsch, Misses Constantine Britt, Mary Lindley, Ethel Davenport, Evelyn Barmore, Andria Glassell, Agnes Britt, Doris Davidson, Ethel Davenport, Ruth Kaye, Adelaide Fournier, Josephine Young, Lita Murrice, Gertrude Workman, Franklin Taylor, Lila Hawkins, Marlon Dalimazzo, Katherine Sawtelle and Miss Helms of Hartford, Conn.

Luncheon at California Club. The California club has opened its doors upon many brilliant events, but it can claim none more gorgeous than the luncheon given yesterday by Mrs. Florence Rivers Stowell. The fragrance of roses pervaded the air and the scene was bright with the varied gowns of the guests. There were four tables and in the center of each white iris blended daintily with egypt-silium, while Cecil Bruner roses and white swags were here and there interspersed. Places were marked for eighty guests by dainty Venetian scenes pointed by the hostess.

Studio Musicale. Mrs. Jones-Simmons will give a studio musicale at her studio in Blanchard hall Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Among those who will contribute vocal solos are Mrs. Besse Ives Harrison, Miss Mabel Stuart, Miss Jessie Logan and Miss Louise Riemann of Pasadena. Miss Grace Hilgen will be accompanist.

Gibson-Harper Engagement. Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Cora Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Harper of Kenw 1 avenue, to C. T. Gibson, formerly of Chattanooga, Tenn. Miss Harper was a student at the University of Southern California, where she enjoyed a wide popularity.

On Way to Nevada. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hervey Pettigell of New York city and Colorado Springs are spending a few days in the city en route to San Francisco. They will leave by boat for the northern city and thence will go to Nevada, where they will remain all summer.

Meeting of Alabama Association. The Alabama association, of which Judge A. W. Hutton is president, will meet Thursday at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Winston, 1220 West Sixteenth street.

Returned from Convention. Miss M. Hadden returned recently from San Francisco, where she went as a delegate from the Brooklyn hospital to the convention of Associated Alumnae of Nurses of the United States.

Meeting of Fortnightly Club. The Fortnightly club met last evening at the College of Fine Arts, where a delightful program was rendered by Mrs. Thomas Wilkes. The evening was devoted to Spanish entertainment. Mrs. Wilkes giving a short talk on folk songs of that country, with guitar accompaniment, and using as illustration eight Spanish songs. This was followed by a cachucha, for which graceful dance Mrs. Wilkes wore a striking costume of spangled black and white which was an heirloom in an old Spanish family. Judge W. B. Judson and Miss Mary Mann Miller were host and hostess upon this occasion.

Speaker at Governor's Banquet. Among Los Angeles visitors to San Francisco during fleet week were Dr. and Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, Mrs. Frank Wolfe and Mrs. Martin Bekins. Dr. Burdette was one of the speakers at the banquet given by Governor Gillett at Hotel Fairmont.

To Celebrate Golden Wedding. A reception will be tendered Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Hanna in celebration of their golden wedding anniversary

Women's Clubs

Friday Morning Club. Mr. George Dobinson will read George Bernard Shaw's "Man and Superman" at the Friday Morning club this week. Owing to the length of play the program will begin promptly at 10:30 o'clock.

The book committee will discuss the following list of books at the session May 22: "Symbolism Movement in Literature," by Symonds; "Memoirs of Thomas Davidson," "New Worlds for Old," by H. G. Wells; "The Human Harvest," by Dr. Jordan; "Hannele" (drama), by Hauptmann; "Rose MacLeod," by Alice Brown; "The Old Room," by Carl Ewald; "Fennel and Rue," by William Dean Howells; "The Island Pharisees," by Galsworthy.

Hollywood Woman's Club

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TRINITY METHODISTS NAME COMMITTEE FOR BUILDING

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