

TO RAISE FUND FOR DEMOCRATS BY INDIVIDUALS

EACH STATE TO DETERMINE ITS OWN METHOD

BRYAN APPROVES PLANS OF CHAIRMAN MACK

Legitimate Expenses for Conducting Presidential Campaign Varies Estimated Between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000

BIG FIRE THREATENS SAN FRANCISCO BLOCK

Property Damage Estimated at \$100,000, with but Little Insurance.

Coney Island Company Chief Sufferers

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—A fire, which for a time threatened to destroy a block in the Western addition in Fillmore street, between Turk and Edwy, occurred early today in the Coney Island amusement pavilion, consuming the entire building and damaging adjacent houses and stores.

FORMER GOVERNOR TAYLOR WILL RETURN FOR TRIAL

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 13.—The Evening Post says: It is announced today on authority of a close friend of former Governor W. S. Taylor that Mr. Taylor will return to Kentucky from Indianapolis for trial on a charge of complicity in the murder of Governor Goebel.

THE NEWS SUMMARY

FORECAST For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy Friday; light southwest winds. Maximum temperature yesterday, 76 degrees; minimum, 61 degrees.

LOCAL

Henry J. Dufty kills son and daughter with an ax, wounds wife and tries to commit suicide.

COAST

Two military men are killed in automobile accident in San Francisco.

EASTERN

Individuals will be appealed to by letter to raise fund for national Democratic campaign.

FOREIGN

Labor troubles follow constitution in Turkey.

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HAD PLANNED AWFUL TRAGEDY MOST DELIBERATELY

Bodies of the Victims Hacked and Pounded Remorselessly by Insane Murderer Long After Life Had Been Extinct

Believing himself divinely commissioned to slay his son and daughter, Henry J. Dufty placed their tombstones and his own in Evergreen cemetery and early yesterday morning took the lives of the son, Fred A. Dufty, and his daughter, Mrs. Ferdinand La Com, afterward attempting to kill himself. He will recover, it is believed.

Prepares for Second Victim

The elder Dufty then walked to the little kitchen, where he washed his hands, changed his shirt and otherwise arranged his appearance to avoid suspicion.

STRIKERS PAID ENORMOUS SUM

QUARTER MILLION DISBURSED AT WINNIPEG

ALL WINDOWS ARE BROKEN IN PULLMAN COACH

Rail Removed from Track Ahead of Excursion Train, but Break Discovers Before Disaster Occurs

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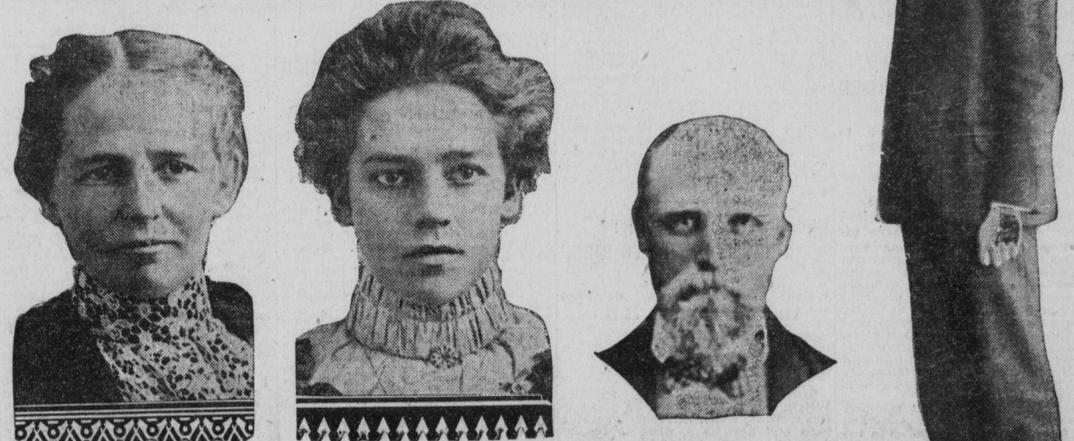
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Dufty Had Long Planned Murders, Publicly Asked Prayers for Souls of Victims, Assert Neighbors

INTERIOR VIEW OF THE COTTAGE AT 247 NORTH MOUNTAIN VIEW AVENUE, IN WHICH DUFTY KILLED HIS SON, AND ALSO A PHOTOGRAPH OF THE LA COM HOME, 453 NORTH WESTLAKE AVENUE, WHERE THE DAUGHTER WAS KILLED AND HER MOTHER INJURED



MRS. MARY DUFTY, Wife of the slayer. MRS. ADA LA COM, The daughter. H. J. DUFTY, The slayer.

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HARD TIMES CAUSE OF EPIDEMIC OF DESERTION

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Hard times are the cause of a widespread epidemic of wife desertion in the poorer districts of the city, according to reports turned in by the visitors of the Children's Aid society. In the instance cited by Mrs. Edith McArthur, the visitor of the East Eighty-eighth station, the primeval instinct of the survival of the fittest is responsible for the epidemic.

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MEMBERS OF PRESIDIO FORCES MEET SUDDEN DEATH

Driver Attempts to Clear Track in Front of Trolley, but is Caught by Car Coming in Opposite Direction

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Sergeant-Major A. H. Belyea and Master Electrician, Sergt. C. H. Jones, attached to the Presidio military forces, were almost instantly killed this evening when thrown from a runabout automobile which was crushed between cars running in opposite directions at Market street and Van Ness avenue.

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