

WITNESS GONE, SO ACCUSED  
MAN LOSES HIS FREEDOM

Howard Huntington Suggests That Owners of Cars Save Home of Mrs. Vidal

BRALY THINKS ALL WILL HELP

Two Daughters of Widow Earn \$12 a Week—Family Has No Other Income

Howard Huntington suggested yesterday contributions of a dollar each from enough automobilists in Los Angeles to pay off the lien against the home of Mrs. Dolores Vidal, a widow who lives at 628 Mission road and whose only income is provided by two daughters who work for small wages. He contributed his dollar as the owner of a car. Other automobilists said:

Joseph P. Radtke—A dollar from the owners of automobiles would hardly be felt by any of them and would certainly not be too much for us to give to save the home of a widow and her children. I trust every man who owns a car will contribute.

Roland Bishop—Surely the autoists of Los Angeles ought to help Mrs. Vidal. The men of the city should take care of the poor when they can, and as the automobilists will reap large benefits from any street improvements it seems but fair that they should help in this case.

E. S. Rowley—Of course I think the autoists of the city ought to want to help Mrs. Vidal. It seems a little thing to us and it means her home I am sure all the men in town will feel the same way.

W. E. Dunn—It will be a splendid thing for the autoists to volunteer aid for Mrs. Vidal. It is a pitiful case and surely we, who will get so much good from the new road, can well afford to help the helpless. I certainly hope that every autoist in Los Angeles will come through.

CAN AFFORD TO HELP

J. H. Braly—Every one who has a little extra money that he is not already spending on charity ought to help a case like this. But it seems rather a nice idea to me to have the automobile men especially volunteer, because street improvements mean so much to them, even if it is a regular automobile thoroughfare. And I believe we men who own machines can pretty generally afford to help.

Unwhitewashed and with the three-roomed house occupied by Mrs. Vidal. It is attractive in its scrupulous cleanliness and pathetic in its lack of necessities. The wretched window curtains in the parlors shade the room from the sun all day long purely from an inability to be raised or lowered. The bare floors attest by their bareness that Mrs. Vidal has no money to employ a janitor or other help. In her sixties and frail.

The only wage earners of this home woman are her two daughters, Lena and Theresa. They contribute \$6 a week apiece and on this sum the women live and maintain the home. On July last the lien on the property was sold because out of these wages they had failed to save more than \$400 with which to meet assessments of street work. Paralyzed with fear at the thought of losing her home, Mrs. Vidal knew of no way to earn the required sum. Finally, when it had grown to over \$500, she appealed to the mayor for help. Since the public appeal in her behalf she personally has received \$3.

TWO GIRLS EARN \$12 A WEEK

"My sisters work as hard as they can," explained a married sister. "That is, minus the girls—could get along all right if it wasn't for this awful taxation. You see, she added with a strange mixture of pride and wisdom, "Lena and Theresa make \$12 a week and it seems hard for mamma to lose all that ease and comfort and her home for work that hasn't been done yet and won't mean anything to her any way—except debt and trouble. I am barely getting along myself, supporting my two little children. I can hardly manage as it is. How can I help mamma? I cannot imagine what will happen to them," said Mrs. Bradley of the Bethlehem. "Of all the cases with which I am connected in the city I know of none more thoroughly deserving. These women work from morning till night to keep what little they have, and fight it almost wearing them out. How I hope there will prove to be enough generous people in Los Angeles to save her home for her."

Subscriptions to the fund received by 'The Herald' to date follow:

Table listing names and contribution amounts for the fund to save Mrs. Vidal's home. Includes names like A. Friend, Justice, Dr. H. E., E. A. N., etc.

RAILWAY PRESIDENT OWNS TO VIOLATING GAME LAW

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 2.—Louis W. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad, may have to answer to the charge of violating the state game laws. A German prince, a guest of Mr. Hill, also is involved. Mr. Hill and his guest recently returned from Mr. Hill's deer preserve at Fair Oaks. Reports said the German prince shot a deer. This led to the investigation by the game warden. Mr. Hill admitted his guest had shot a deer out of season, and that he, himself, was keeping a game preserve without having obtained a license.

DISMISS ARMY OFFICER

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—Lieut. John E. Purvis of the Philippine scouts has been dismissed from the army after a trial by court-martial for drunkenness, abusing the municipal president of Calbayog, Samar, and for failing to report for duty.

G. O. P. CHAIRMAN CLAIMS VICTORY

Taft Makes Public Letter of Representative William B. McKinley

TAKES RUDDY VIEW OF FIGHT

Predicts All Signs Point to Control of 62d Congress by Republicans

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—President Taft today made public a letter from William B. McKinley, chairman of the Republican congressional committee, in which he takes a rosy view of the Republican chances at the next Tuesday's elections.

KNOX PLEADS FOR G. O. P. IN OHIO

Secretary Fears Democratic Success in Taft's State a Blow to Whole Party

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 2.—Declaring the issue in Ohio is President Taft and his administration, and affirming that the line of demarcation has been drawn to confirm the Republican party as "a party of constructive progress since Lincoln's death," Secretary of State Knox appealed to the Republicans of Ohio tonight to endorse the achievements of their native son at the polls next Tuesday.

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MAY DRAW COLOR LINE IN NEW MEXICO SCHOOLS

Constitutional Conference Leans Toward Segregation

'AIRSHIPS USELESS FOR WAR'—GRANT

Army General Says Uncle Sam's Sharpshooters Could Pick Off Manbirds

PLANES GOOD FOR SCOUTING

Aviators Could Observe Enemy's Lines, but Their Lot Would Be Hazardous

PLEHN CHAMPIONS AMENDMENT NO. 1

Professor of Economics, University of California, Defends Measure

SANTA FE, N. M., Nov. 2.—That the people of any school district in New Mexico may establish separate schools for negroes by a vote of two-thirds of the legal voters of such district was decided this afternoon by a conference of the Republican members of the constitutional conference.

Segregation of negroes and whites in public schools has been one of the big questions before the delegates. It is believed, however, that the finding of the committee will be adopted by a vote of at least 75 to 25.

Many of the delegates in the convention, both Republicans and Democrats, are from southern states. These members, it is understood, will stand as a unit for segregation.

A thirty-minute session of the convention was held today, the principal business being the presentation of numerous petitions for state-wide prohibition.

As an engine of war Grant thinks it will be found comparatively harmless to lead a range of less than 6000 feet he is convinced that sharpshooters could easily pick off the best of them, while at a greater height their dispersion would probably defeat their own purposes.

"In the present unperfected state of the aeroplane," he says, "it will be found that any greater height is a dangerous one, for he will be the target of some minute accurate shooting. If he can escape the bullets he will be of great aid to his commander in describing the position of the enemy, the lay of the land, the condition of the terrain, etc., but the chances of his scouting trip ending in disaster will be ten to one against him."

SOLDIERS COULD HIT THEM "I watched the marvelous flights at the international meet without any feeling of dread or uneasiness, but a new and alarming factor in warfare, for I felt confident that our men could have brought down any number of these flyers from a height of a mile or more. I would use sharpshooters and not cannon against a hostile aeroplane or fleet of aeroplanes. The army rifle is effective up to 6000 feet. The aeroplane would be shot at any greater height, for the aviator would not be able to distinguish objects below with sufficient clearness to make the results useful."

"This is about the way we would go about fighting an enemy in the air: Under the command of an officer armed with a field glass the aviator would pick out a target and determine its distance. We would station platoons of sharpshooters to watch the enemy's planes, the range to the riflemen and they would fire quick volleys at the man in the flying machine. If they should not kill him they would so disable his motor or other vital parts of his machine as to cause him to drop to earth."

KAISER WRITING BIOGRAPHY OF FREDERICK THE GREAT

BERLIN, Nov. 2.—It is stated that a considerable part of the biography of Frederick the Great, which the kaiser is reported to be writing, already is completed.

The kaiser is said to be treating his subject with strict impartiality, notwithstanding his enthusiastic admiration for his ancestor. One evidence of this is his whole-hearted condemnation of Frederick's infidelity and his enthusiasm for Voltaire.

His majesty is said to contemplate a series of visits to all of Frederick's battlefields before completing the work.

TAKES RUDDY VIEW OF FIGHT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—When President Taft was invited today to attend the proposed celebration in Pittsburgh in 1914, commemorating the centenary of the peace between the English-speaking peoples, under the auspices of the Sisterhood of Rodeph Shalom Congregation, he said:

"In 1914 probably will be your new living in Cincinnati, and I will try to run over and see you."

There was a smile on the president's face, however, when he thus eliminated himself from a second term consideration.

OLD-TIME ACTOR WHO PLAYED WITH BOOTH DIES

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 2.—Charles J. Fyffe, an actor of distinction more than a quarter of a century ago, died today at the Edwin Forrest home for actors in this city. He was 80 years old.

Mr. Fyffe supported Booth, Barrett, William E. Sheridan and other great tragedians for forty years. He had a wide range of parts, but it was in the heavier roles of tragedy that he appeared at his best. He was a native of New Orleans.

SPANISH WAR VETERAN KILLS SELF AT HELENA

HELENA, Mont., Nov. 2.—The body of William E. Colbert, a member of troop A, First Illinois cavalry, during the Spanish-American war, and also a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, was found yesterday on a gravel pile in the outskirts of the city.

Colbert had drunk carbolic acid while in a fit of despondency. Relatives in Chicago have been notified.

ADOPTED CHILD PASSED OFF ON MAN AS HIS OWN

Wife Tells Traveling Salesman 'Daughter' Took Place of One That Died

COURT REFUSES TO STOP SIBLEY'S ACCOUNT AUDIT

FRANKLIN, Pa., Nov. 2.—Judge James S. Criswell today refused to stop the audit of the election expenses account of former Congressman J. C. Sibley.

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GENERAL MYER TO RETIRE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—Brig. Gen. Ralph W. Hoyt, commanding Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, has been ordered to relieve Brig. Gen. Albert L. Myer, in command of the department of Texas, who retires November 14.

WOMAN'S SAFE STEP TO BETTER LOOKS

is not hard to find. If your eyes are dull—if your skin is sallow, or your complexion muddied; if you have no roses in your cheeks, do not bother with cosmetics. Don't risk harmful drugs. Get good, rich blood in your veins, and then you will have the bright looks and charm of perfect health.

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are wonderful aids to women and women's looks. If your blood is poor—if you are pale, weak and not up to the mark—your stomach and organs of digestion and elimination are the cause.

Beecham's Pills correct faults. They will help you to good digestion and active kidneys and regular bowels—to freedom from troubles—to purer life-making, beauty-creating blood. In all truth and seriousness, you will find that for good health and good looks, Beecham's Pills

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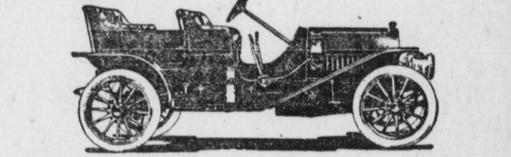
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\$1.00 Cotton Single Bed Double Blankets; pair... 75c
\$1.50 Cotton Double Bed Blankets; all colors; pair... \$1.25
\$1.75 Cotton Double Bed Blankets; extra size; pair... \$1.42
\$1.25 Cotton All White Bed Blankets; pair... 95c
\$1.50 Cotton All White Bed Blankets; pair... \$1.25
\$2.00 Woolnap Bed Blankets; tan, white and gray, pr. \$1.75
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\$3.00 Woolnap Bed Blankets; all colors; pair... \$2.75
\$3.75 Woolnap Bed Blankets; all colors; extra size; pr. \$3.25
\$8.00 Gray Wool Doub. Bed Blankets; extra value; pr. \$6.50
\$5.00 Gray Wool Doub. Bed Blankets; with border; pr. \$3.50
\$8.50 White Wool Double Bed Blkts.; with border; pr. \$6.50

FREE PRIZES



This \$1350 Regal Roadster given away absolutely free.

All entering this contest are entitled to an equal opportunity of winning an automobile, a piano or another one of the many hundreds of valuable prizes offered during this contest.

Beautiful \$400 Upright Piano



And \$877.00 in Other Valuable Prizes for Solving This "Uncle Ben" Puzzle

THESE PRIZES GIVEN ABSOLUTELY FREE TO SUCCESSFUL CONTESTANTS

If you are planning to furnish your home with a new Piano or Player-Piano between now and Christmas you should enter this contest at once. No charge of any kind to enter. All have an equal opportunity to win. There is no catch about it—simply follow the directions and if you are the nearest correct solution you will certainly get the first prize—a beautiful \$400 Upright Piano.

CAN YOU FIND UNCLE BEN, THE OWNER OF THE HORSES?



DIRECTIONS: Trace the outlines of Uncle Ben's face on this or a separate sheet of paper, write your name and address plainly on your answer, and mail or bring it to the Puzzle Department of the Fitzgerald Music Company at once.

HOW THE PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED AND TO WHOM

All the answers will be turned over to a committee of judges composed of well known business men of this city, with instructions to make the awards in exact accordance with the above conditions, and the decision of this committee will be final and absolute. To the person sending in the nearest correct answer we will give a New \$400 Upright Piano. For the second nearest correct solution we will give a Genuine Diamond Ring, with Solid Gold Mounting. For the third nearest correct solution we will give a large Chest of Genuine Rogers Silver, as Pictured in the Mahogany Chest. For the fourth nearest correct solution we will give a Lady's Genuine Fleur de Lis Bracelet, set with Beautiful Stone. To each of the next fifty nearest correct solutions we will give Manufacturers' Bonds for \$100. All others sending in correct solutions will receive Manufacturers' Bonds ranging from \$50 down to \$10, according to the merit of the solution submitted.

This Contest Positively Closes at 6 p. m., Tuesday, Nov. 8th, 1910. Winners Will Be Notified by Mail

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