

Main In Mexico in War

Associates were thrown into jail on instructions from the City of Mexico, from which place a thorough investigation of the causes of the trouble was soon instituted. It did not take long to develop the fact that the literature circulated at the beginning of the outbreak was of foreign origin. It was traced to Dakin and his associates, who had hurried out of the Cananea district when the trouble in the tid of events set in. Part of the circulars, it was found, had been printed in San Francisco under the direction of an American, who was a number of years ago, connected with the general pan-American movement in the city of Mexico. The circulars were rapidly disseminated to the Mexicans to acts of violence that might eventually cause a clash between the two exceedingly friendly republics were unheeded by the Mexican authorities. The Government machinery was soon at work adjusting matters. The Mexican State Department laid the whole matter before the authorities at Washington, where the American press is busy in thwarting any plot to strain the existing relations between the two countries and if possible punish those who dared to launch such a war-like project.

It has been common report in San Francisco for several days that the local Mexican Consul General has been industriously investigating this end of the plot and that he had gained valuable information through the assistance of a detective agency. The latter, while admitting it had been working for the Consul General, denied that its services had anything to do with the Cananea affair. The Consul General, when seen, treated the matter diplomatically, finally issuing the following statement in writing: "English operators in Mexico claim that the anti-American reports lately published by the American press are the work of American speculators in Mexico who seek to either cover their blunders or boost their property," and to this the Mexican representative added that if specific information is sought he would be glad to obtain it from Mexico if possible, regardless of cost and labor.

MEXICO'S LIBERAL POLICY.

Sonora has for years been one of the liveliest mining sections in Old Mexico. The Mexican Government, appreciating the enterprise of American mining companies and the concessions in that district, which is practically controlled by American concerns, except where the latter have turned their valuable interests over to English mining corporations.

Of the latter one of the largest is the Venture Corporation of London, of which Ernest A. Williams, formerly of this city, is the American representative and Frederick Baker its manager in London. Its interests are large in Northern Mexico, and probably this fact may explain why Manager Baker's name was connected with that of Greene and others in the affair at Cananea. One reason given for identifying the Venture Corporation with the affair is that in 1905 the company was successful in obtaining the concession of the northern part of the State of Sonora to the United States as part indemnity for any losses or injuries this country might have sustained. England would not have been disposed to interfere, owing to the interests her wealthy mining companies have in the State of Sonora. It was expected that England would have been expected to show for the United States the same friendly consideration in this case that this country showed for England when she became involved in trouble with the Republic through the unsuccessful raid of Jameson and his American and English followers.

Frank A. Holton, a well-known mining engineer who arrived here last Tuesday from Sonora, said yesterday that all fear of an uprising on September 15 had been allayed in Cananea before he left Mexico. "If the Mexican authorities are on the right trail," he said, "there are several American mining promoters who will not venture into that country for some time to come. If the Cananea district was not the stake these fellows were playing for they had not taken the trouble to report and the agitation in Sonora has alarmed a great many mine owners who have either left the district and abandoned their mines or will do so. This kind of any country is a chance to get possession of these properties at their own prices. "Personally I do not believe that there is any further cause for alarm. The Mexican authorities are determined to protect Americans, and they will do it in any way possible. It is that Government that when it gives you anything it sees that your interests are protected and the men who had to explain his conduct. "I ought to have known this. De La Lanza and two of his companions are still in prison and it is possible that they may give the Government some valuable information concerning the plot before they are liberated."

DRUGGETS INVESTIGATE NIGHT HUNTS. CAPTAIN DUKE RAIDS POKER JOINT WHERE POLITICIAN LOST COIN

Three bunco men and a clergyman were caught in the dragnet of a raid conducted by Captain Duke yesterday afternoon. Inasmuch as the position was an embarrassing one for the clergyman he was allowed to depart without undergoing the ignominy of arrest. Grady Conard, a former member of the San Diego Board of Works and a prominent politician of the southern city, was mulcted of \$147 yesterday afternoon in a poker game. Captain Duke, upon the complaint of the job, arrested three participants in the game and booked them at the O'Farrell-street police station on charges of grand larceny.

Conard arrived in town a few days ago from San Diego. He took apartments at 780 Turk street. Yesterday afternoon he was standing on a corner near his house when he was approached by a man who offered to sell him some souvenirs. The politician readily assented, being desirous of securing some mementoes of the recent disaster. He was led to a room in a house at 870 Turk street.

On entering the house he was taken to a room where three men, Conard was told to wait until his prospective merchant could produce the souvenirs. While sitting in the room a game of poker was proposed. Conard was agreeable. An hour later he held a pat hand and was called by one of the gang, who threw down four aces. The San Diego man's last spurge cost him his bankroll and he departed. Conard reported the occurrence to Captain Duke. Duke went to the house where the game was held and found the three men who played with Conard. Sitting in the game, which was still progressing, was an English clergyman, who gave the name of the Rev. John Hayes. Duke, certain that the clergyman was not one of the gang, but an innocent player, allowed him to go. The other three men were identified by Conard as the ones who took his money. They were placed under arrest. The victim identified \$10 bills which were found in the possession of the gamblers.

The prisoners gave the names of Thomas Burns, William Watson and George Watson. The names are regarded as fictitious. The clergyman was so embarrassed that he had to ask him for his address or the name of the congregation to which he preached the value of a righteous life.

SEVEN MEN IN PORTLAND CASE.

PORTLAND, Aug. 10.—As a sensational climax to the close of the Government's case wherein Cos D. Barnard urged the conviction of the twenty-two men with his testimony as a witness to the final proof of Charles A. Watson, John M. Morgan, one of the Government's witnesses, confessed on the stand to have been present in connection with the entry from the Butte Creek Land, Livestock and Lumber Company and that he had sworn falsely when he made affidavit in his final proof that he had lived upon the claim and had cultivated it continuously during the twenty-four months antecedent to the commencement of the entry. Morgan said that he was lying when he swore to his final proof and that he had taken up the claim with the expectation of being paid for it by the corporation.

Hermann Defeats Yander. INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 10.—Ked Hermann of Chicago was given the decision over Benny Yander in a glove fight round before 2,500 people at the Baseball Park.

DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS.—Oakland, Aug. 10.—James F. Kelly, a well-known manufacturer of West Coast, died this morning at his home, 729 Seventh street, aged 58 years. Mr. Kelly had been a resident of this city for the last thirty years. He leaves a wife and three children.

SECURELY TIED TO PREACHER. OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA. WIFE FAILS TO SEVER HER MARRIAGE BONDS

OAKLAND, Aug. 10.—Judge Ellsworth today refused to annul the marriage of Mrs. Octavia Hill to the Rev. J. F. C. Hill, which was solemnized in San Jose a year ago. Hill was a party to a common law marriage in Michigan, and it was the purpose of his second wife's suit to determine whether she was legally married to him. Judge Ellsworth decided that she was; that it was the presumption of law that the status of Michigan in the same as those of California, which do not recognize common law marriages.

Four years ago Hill, who is an evangelist and belongs to the Church of the Nazarene, and Miss Mary Ross entered into an agreement to live as husband and wife. About two years ago they came to Oakland, but Miss Ross returned to the East when she learned that common law marriages were not recognized here. After her departure Hill met Miss Octavia Coffey, and about a year ago they went to San Jose and were married. Later Mrs. Octavia Hill learned of the contract marriage, and she sued to have the second marriage annulled on the ground that her husband already had a wife from whom he had never been divorced.

Hill No. 2 is the legal wife of the evangelist will probably result in the reunion of the couple. Hill is now conducting revival services in Los Angeles, and his second wife, who learned of the contract marriage, has been living with her sister in West Oakland. Judge Ogden today granted an interlocutory decree of divorce to Lorenzo D. Matthews from Lizzie E. Matthews on the ground of desertion. They were married ten years ago in San Francisco.

Alleging that her husband failed to provide for her and that he drank to excess, Hilda Marion Wilde today secured an interlocutory decree of divorce from Richard Wilde. Judge Ogden granted her possession of her maiden name of Flood. They were married in San Francisco in 1903 and separated last year. During their married life, the wife's husband was in the penitentiary for a period of only two months. The rest of the time, she declares, he spent "sobering up."

SIX MEN INJURED BY EXPLOSION.

NORFOLK, Va., Aug. 10.—Six men were burned by an explosion in the paint locker on an explosion in the paint locker on the torpedo boat destroyer Worden late this afternoon at the Norfolk navy yard. While driving rivets in the paint locker on the Worden one of the hot pieces of steel fell into a quantity of kerosene, causing it to explode. The force of the explosion was so great that Robert White and William H. Wilson, who were driving the rivets, were blown through the opening leading to the paint locker and landed on deck. Immediately after the explosion the little boat caught fire, but the flames were extinguished without material damage. Wilson was probably fatally injured.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles. Itching, Blind, Bleeding, Protruding Piles. Druggists refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure in 5 to 14 days. It is more than likely that the saloons that have been open all night will close after the showing made by the commission in the cases of Dunn Bros. and several others who had their licenses revoked at Thursday night's meeting of the board.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's Big, on each box, 25c.

POPULAR ASSEMBLY FOR PERSIANS.

Shah Relinquishes His Autocratic Power and Grants Constitution REJOICING PEOPLE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—For the first time in her history Persia is to have a national assembly. This information was conveyed to the Persian Minister here today in a cablegram from Mirza Nassrollah Khan Mochredolei Sadrazame, the Grand Vizier and Minister for Foreign Affairs, who stated that in view of the desire of his Imperial Majesty the Shah for the extension of national tranquility and for the welfare of Persia and all its inhabitants and in order to fortify the Government, it had been decided to institute certain reforms and to provide a durable constitution for the country.

The immediate organization of a national assembly for the realization of these reforms was accordingly ordered. According to the dispatch the assembly will be composed of Princes of the blood, representatives of the clergy, chief of the reigning dynasty, high dignitaries and personages, merchants and representatives of corporations. The assembly will meet at Teheran. It is provided that all civil and constitutional laws shall originate in the assembly and after the signature of the Shah will become effective. The cablegram concludes as follows: "In order to thank his Imperial Majesty for this happy initiative the people were authorized to celebrate this happy event by rejoicing with a day was declared a national holiday for the people."

The Persian Minister tonight expressed his pleasure at the news and said it had come to him as a great surprise. A legation flag instantly was flown to the breeze. It was pointed out by the Minister that today's action follows within one week of the appointment of the new Grand Vizier, was indicative of that official's progressive ideas.

Passengers Vessel Ashore. PONTA DELGADA, Azore Islands, Aug. 10.—The Zotti line steamship Brooklyn, from Marseilles August 4, for New York, with 330 immigrants on board, grounded while entering this port today. Efforts are being made to float the steamer.

Woman Sues Secretary Loeb for Damages.

Claims She Was Falsely Put in Jail.

OYSTER BAY, Aug. 10.—William Loeb Jr., secretary to President Roosevelt, was made defendant in a \$50,000 damage suit today in which he is charged with having caused the false arrest of Nadge Doree, a Jewish writer. The arrest was made last winter in Washington, when Miss Doree was distributing leaflets advertising her work in the defense of Russian Jews. St. John's Episcopal Church. Papers were served on Loeb today by a New York firm of lawyers. They require him to make answer within twenty days in New York. Loeb will be defended by the Department of Justice. The arrest, it was made by the Washington police force without his knowledge. Miss Doree made an unsuccessful effort to sue President Roosevelt at Oyster Bay last summer.

MRS. HARTJE NO. 2 IS THE LATEST.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. PITTSBURG, Aug. 10.—A mysterious and good looking young woman has suddenly put a new twist in the Hartje divorce case by appearing and announcing herself to be Mrs. Augustus Hartje No. 2. She appeared at police headquarters yesterday and asked to see the superintendent. Superintendent McQuade was called, and to him she stated that she had been lawfully married to Hartje ten years ago. She did not know at that time that he had another wife living. Superintendent McQuade sent her to the office of Hartje's attorneys in charge of a detective. A hastily called conference was held. All of Hartje's attorneys, including his brother, Edward G. Hartje, were present. So was Hartje. What transpired no one knows, but every effort was made to keep the story quiet. Today Hartje's lawyers, in reply to questions concerning it, became indignant and declared the woman was demoted.

Denounce the Nominees of the Cook County Democratic Leaders CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—The Hearst wing of the Democratic party in Cook County is against the candidates decided upon at yesterday's convention. The Hearst papers state that the candidates are owned body and soul by National Committeeman Roger C. Sullivan and William Loeffler. They are attacked savagely by the Hearst organ here and the ticket referred to as born in the infamy of "gas and tunnel" politics. This action means a third ticket in the field and the defeat of the Democratic party at the polls in November. When the Hearst faction decided to abide by the action of the convention yesterday and made no effort to bolt, the Sullivan-Loeffler politicians thought all was serene in the county Democratic ranks. They changed their mind today and now realize that whatever chances there were for victory in November will be shattered unless peace can be patched up in some manner.

FINDS SWEETHEART ABOUT TO WED.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 10.—Captain Charles E. Huggins of the United States Signal Corps appeared here yesterday after an absence of five years, just in time to find that his old sweetheart, Miss Beulah Thompson, was to be married in a few hours to W. H. Connette. She immediately telephoned to Connette that she would not marry him. Instead, she will wed Captain Huggins. Believing that the young woman was not serious in her announcement, Connette obtained a license and informed his sweetheart of the fact shortly after noon, less than three hours before the ceremony was to have taken place. The young woman was steadfast in her determination to break the engagement and the word "void" was written in large letters upon the page of the marriage book at the courthouse. It seems that a lovers' quarrel separated Huggins and Miss Thompson several years ago. Huggins enlisted in the navy as an apprentice and was assigned service in the northwestern waters. Absence made the heart grow fonder and a correspondence soon began. Miss Thompson admits that she wrote the first letter. After many exchanges of letters, the correspondence suddenly lagged and at this stage of Cupid's intricate game Connette appeared on the scene. Then began the conflict in the young woman's heart. She finally became engaged to Connette, and the wedding was postponed from time to time and then set definitely for last night. Miss Thompson will become the bride of Captain Huggins next week.

MRS. COREY TAKES LEAVE OF RENO.

RENO, Nev., Aug. 10.—Mrs. William Ellis Corey, who recently obtained a divorce from her husband, left for Pacific Coast points this morning to spend several weeks. She was accompanied by her son Allan, and tomorrow her sister-in-law, Miss Addie Corey, will join her. They will return to Pittsburg about September 1, as they will probably reside. The departure of the Coreys is interesting in view of their statements upon the witness stand during the divorce trial that Reno was to be their permanent residence.

DR. WALK DIES IN TEXAS AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. ALLAS, Tex., Aug. 10.—Dr. George Edward Walk, dean of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, died this morning of acute pancreatitis, after an illness of one week. Dr. Walk was formerly rector of St. Andrew's Mission at Oakland, Cal., and for seven years rector of Trinity Church, San Francisco. He afterward served as rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Council Bluffs, Ia.; Grace Church, Cedar Rapids, Ia., and the Church of the Good Shepherd, Omaha, Nebraska.

HEARST WILL BE NAMED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—The Morning Telegraph, the personal organ of Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, predicts that Hearst will receive the Republican nomination for Governor. Murphy owns stock in the Morning Telegraph, and the following paragraph from an article in that paper today (Saturday) morning is therefore significant: "The Independence League has at last set a date for holding its convention. After dilly-dallying and shifting its date time after time, it has finally set upon September 11 and the place as Carnegie Hall. Sixteen hundred delegates are expected to be present. This convention will be but a sideshow to the performance under the big top of the Republican nomination. Hearst will receive the Democratic nomination, in which case the convention of the Independence League will be at best a superfluity."

POLITICS AT STANFORD. STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Aug. 10.—Dr. R. L. Wilbur, the official physician of Stanford University, has been selected to represent the faculty politicians of Republican faith in the coming State Convention in Santa Cruz. Charles Detrick of Mayfield will be the delegate from the same precinct at the Congressional convention. This arrangement of the delegates was decided today at a conference. Stanford students are taking a lively interest in the election.

State Prohibition Convention. LOS ANGELES, Aug. 10.—The State Prohibition convention will meet in this city August 21, 22 and 23. A large attendance of delegates and visitors is expected.



HEARST ORGANS IN REBELLION.

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CLARK AS BRYAN'S MATE.

DENVER, Aug. 10.—For President, W. J. Bryan; for vice president, W. A. Clark. Members of the United States Senate sub-committee on Indian Affairs believe they have discovered the Democratic ticket for 1908. Senators Clark of Wyoming, Teller of Colorado, Long of Kansas and Brandegee of Connecticut discussed the possibility with interest before they separated here. The discussion started when Senator W. A. Clark, who came to Denver to attend the meeting, was called East by a telegram. One of the members of the party attempted to banter Clark by saying that the message must be from Bryan. "I suppose you will come back with Bryan," said one. "Possibly, if he will let me," was the reply.

SAN DIEGO REPUBLICANS.

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 10.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Republican county central committee, the following were named as delegates to the Congressional convention to be voted for at the primaries next Tuesday: C. Fred Henking, George M. Hawley, F. V. Stearns, Frank S. Banks, E. C. Hinkle, George McNeill, Carl I. Ferris, Theo L. Barnes, Dan F. Jones, D. B. Northrup and M. J. Perrin. An opposition ticket will be in the field on account of a local contest by the opponents of the organization, but both tickets are understood to be for the renomination of S. C. Smith of Bakersfield, who will without doubt be the unanimous choice.

WOMAN KILLED BY AUTO ACCIDENT.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10.—When an automobile owned and driven by Stewart Elliott ran into a mounted policeman in the Bronx early today, Mrs. T. W. Noble, a traveling salesman, was thrown out and so severely injured that she died tonight in Fordham Hospital. Mrs. Margaret Johnson of Elm City, also of the party, is still in the hospital, seriously hurt. Elliott and the policeman, Harry P. Smith, were slightly injured.

PASTOR MCKINNEY DIES IN LOS ANGELES.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 10.—The death occurred here today of the Rev. Preston McKinney, a well-known Presbyterian minister, resultant of hardships and exposure undergone by him in the San Francisco disaster of last April.

PARDEE MUST ACCEPT HIS OWN HOME DELEGATION UNDER RESTRICTIONS

HENSHAW ACTIVE

By Thomas B. Sullivan. In his struggle for renomination Governor Pardee will have a solid delegation from Alameda County. He will receive it only on conditions that exact a great deal and will hold it only as long as the practical politicians see that the Republican ranks are strong enough to enable the Governor to be unable to use this delegation for trading purposes and in that event his course in the convention will be made much more difficult in his behalf. Alameda is, as it always has been, a very hotbed of politics. Every second man one meets on the streets has his finger in the political pie, or thinks he has. Factional county fights are fiercer here than in any other county in the State. It was only after the Governor had given a solemn promise to keep hands off in these squabbles that he received assurance of a solid delegation in his behalf. OLD SCORES TO SETTLE. The local politicians have a string of old scores to settle, many long-standing grudges to pay and some rewards to make. But Governor Pardee must keep out of all this and attend strictly to his own duties. The real power behind the State delegation and the man who will manipulate it as he pleases, except in one singular exception, is Supreme Justice Henshaw. How long Governor Pardee may retain his own delegation if he does not win on the first ballot remains for the real operators in the convention to determine. It may be accepted as a fact that the Governor will not win on the initial ballot. Justice Henshaw desires to succeed himself on the Supreme bench and naturally wants the delegation from his own county. But, powerful as he has made himself, he cannot have this delegation in its entirety. Superior Judge Melvin is a seeker after the honors of the Supreme Court, and he is extremely anxious to get the nomination. He certainly will receive the support of at least one Assembly district in the county and perhaps more. VAN FLEET HAS AMBITIONS. W. C. Van Fleet has finally decided to run for the State at large and appeals for this district, and he will ask for the Republican nomination. His leading opponent, up to date, is Superior Judge Carroll Cook. Both would like the place now occupied by Justice Cooper. Ira Parks, the Republican Assessor of Marin County, is eager to try conclusions with R. H. Beamer, the Democrat who for many years has represented the Third District in the State Board of Equalization. Parks has made an efficient officer and understands thoroughly the seriousness of the task he wants to assume. One of the curiosities of the campaign in this city has developed in the fear of Rufus that some of the Simon-pure Herrin men whom he has placed on the various tickets won't play fair after they get to the convention. Rufus has selected many men who he thinks will be true to him, but don't have to ask Rufus for it. They do not need a special delivery of Rufus stamps when they want to communicate with his Highness, and he is nursing a suspicion that when the delegates in Alameda, if he enters the fight for the nomination, he certainly will receive the support of at least one Assembly district in the county and perhaps more.

SHERIFF ATTACHES ENTIRE TOWN.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. SPOKANE, Aug. 10.—Sheriff Tuck of Nelson has served Slocan City, B. C., with execution papers which put the municipality under a number of taxes. Sheriff took possession of the place the Mayor and Aldermen sent in their resignations. C. E. Smitheingale of Vancouver is the creditor who is closing up the town. Recently he endeavored to garnish the number of taxes, hotels and saloons, but the Mayor was too quick and paid out the money as salaries for civic officials. The Sheriff will levy a special tax on all property in the city to pay the judgment. He said the Sheriff will give notice that in eighteen months all the real estate in the city will be sold at public auction. TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 10.—The Governor's mansion has been advertised for sale for next week. The fact that the mansion was about to be sold was not discovered by the State officials until this morning, and there have been a number of consultations during the day to prevent the consummation of the deal. Today the County Clerk of Shawnee County notified the Executive Council that the executive mansion had been advertised for sale at the coming tax sale in September. The amount on the tax rolls of the county is \$159.33 for improvements made by the city around the property. The Governor was inclined to argue the case with the Secretary of State, who informed him that the Attorney General held that State property can be taxed for improvements made by the city. The County Clerk said that the debt must be paid before September 21 or the property will be sold at public auction.

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SAN JOSEANS AID ACTRESS.

Subscription Started for Myrtle Vane, Now Deserted Wife in North PLAN A BENEFIT

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL. SAN JOSE, Aug. 10.—Local theatrical people, moved by the story published in the Call that Myrtle Vane had met with misfortune in the North and had been deserted by her husband, Millar Bacon, are preparing to aid the fascinating little actress in a substantial manner. Del Lawrence, leading man of the Roman company now showing in this city, has started the contribution list, and Mae Keane, leading lady in the same company, is actively soliciting funds. A benefit performance is planned for the end of the month at the Garden Auditorium, and it is expected that the attendance at this affair will eclipse anything ever seen in this city. While Millar Bacon and Myrtle Vane were playing at the Garden in San Jose they had gone to the North and separated for a short time. The trouble was caused by Bacon's attentions to Agnes Williams, also a member of the company. Agnes Williams later became Mrs. J. H. and went with the Frank Bacon stock company at the Theater Jose a few weeks ago. The dispute over Agnes Williams, however, was not serious, and Mrs. Bacon returned to San Jose after the month's absence. In a letter received by a friend of Mrs. Bacon in San Jose a short time ago from Salt Lake, Mrs. Bacon stated that Millar had gone away—"gone home to mother."

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