

INSPECTORS SEIZE CONTRABAND 'HOP'

Customs Officers Uncover 149 Tins of Opium in a Chinatown Raid

Drug Valued at \$2,000 Is Confiscated and Will Be Quickly Destroyed

Customs Inspectors Joseph Head and C. J. Benninger raided Chinatown Sunday afternoon and seized 149 five tael tins of contraband opium. Eighteen tins were found in the basement of New Lee's store, 720 Dupont street, and 131 tins were taken from a trunk in a lodging house at 704 Jackson street. The seized opium is valued at \$2,000, and under the new law will be destroyed.

Head and Benninger operated without any search warrant, and when they first went through New Lee's premises and found nothing that celestial mercantile assumed the injured indignation of an indicted money king and demanded the names of the men who dared to invade his premises without his permission.

"In a minute. We're not finished yet," they told him.

They offered to give him all the information he sought when they emerged from his basement a little later with the contraband, but he was no longer interested and confined his remarks to expressing wonder as to how the opium could have got into his cellars.

At 704 Jackson street the inspectors did considerable searching before they entered a bedroom, the tenant of which, they were told, was a Chinese woman who had gone to Los Angeles, but had left her trunk behind. In spite of protests and pictures of the absent lady's anger, the inspectors wrenched off the lock and in the trunk found two old sofa cushions and under them 131 tins of opium.

When Saloon Keeper Alexander was arrested a few weeks ago on a street-car with unstamped opium in his possession it was known that he was on his way to dispose of it, supposedly in Chinatown. Inspector Head was detailed to find out where. The raid was the result of his investigations.

CONEY ISLAND SIGHT SEEING AUTO DITCHED

Machine Runs Away and Crashes Into Tree

NEW YORK, June 21.—Six persons were seriously and one fatally injured here today when a big sight seeing automobile filled with merry makers returning from Coney Island ran away and crashed into a tree on the Ocean park way. All the 25 passengers were thrown from the car. Miss May Emery, aged 27, of Washington Heights, suffered fractures of the legs and internal injuries.

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EIGHT MEN PASSED TO TRY TREADWELL

Director of California Safe Deposit and Trust Company Again Faces Jury

The impeachment of a jury to try James Treadwell, who was a director of the California safe deposit and trust company, on a charge of embezzlement, was begun in department 12 of the superior court yesterday before Judge Conley of Madera. Eight men were accepted after examination by the attorneys for both sides, but they are still subject to peremptory challenge.

Treadwell is represented by the same attorneys who defended him in his first trial—Lewis F. Byington and Thomas B. Dozier. For the people the case is being conducted by Assistant District Attorney William Hoff Cook, who has had charge of the bank investigation and prosecutions since the day the institution closed its doors.

Treadwell is alleged in the indictment to have embezzled 1,203 shares of stock of the Farmers and Merchants' bank of Colusa, worth \$68,166, and 1,095 shares of the Sacramento Valley bank of Biggs, Butte county, worth \$35,035. The indictment is a joint one, J. Dalzell Brown and Walter J. Bartlett being charged with the same offense. The embezzlement is alleged to have taken place September 19, 1906.

The proceedings yesterday were devoid of unusual incident. By the trend of questions put by the attorneys for Treadwell it was indicated that the defense will be absence of criminal intent on the part of the defendant. It is hoped that the jury will have been secured by tonight. All witnesses have been excused until tomorrow morning. Among the witnesses is J. Dalzell Brown, who has been brought across from San Quentin to testify. The eight jurors temporarily passed are:

CHARGES FRENCH BANK ACTED IN BAD FAITH

Henry Cailleaud Answers Slander Suit of F. Bonnet

Henry Cailleaud, who claimed, that \$17,215 belonging to him was stolen from his box in the safe deposit vaults of the French-American bank, filed an answer yesterday to the slander suit instituted by F. Bonnet, an employee of the bank.

Bonnet claimed \$10,000 damages, accusing Cailleaud of having said: "It is most pig of a Bonnet who robbed my box. He must have entered my wife's room and stolen my key." Cailleaud denies having made this statement, and as a further defense alleges that the action is not brought in good faith, accusing the bank of having instigated Bonnet's suit in the attempt to force Cailleaud to drop his civil action against the bank for the \$17,215 Bonnet has not been in the United States since June 17, 1908. It is stated, and is now a permanent resident of France.

Cailleaud asserts that when he discovered he had been robbed Charles Carpy, Leon Boqueraz, Arthur Legallet and P. A. Bergerot, officials of the bank, endeavored to make it appear that Bonnet had stolen the money from the vaults or that he knew the whereabouts of the money. Afterward the bank brought Bonnet back to San Francisco to assist in the defense of Cailleaud's civil suit. In order to counteract the effect of prior statements made by the officials of the bank regarding Bonnet it is alleged that they told him that Cailleaud had accused Bonnet of the robbery.

MRS. DOLLAR IS SUED FOR A DIAMOND RING

Wife of Steamshipman Neglected to Pay Jeweler

Mrs. Hazel Dollar, whose husband, R. Stanley Dollar, a steamship and lumber man, has advertised that he will not be responsible for debts contracted by her, was sued yesterday by George F. Hughes, who does business in Oakland under the name of the Western jewelry company, for \$265, the balance due on the purchase of a diamond ring, or, in the alternative, for the return of the ring. Hughes alleged that Mrs. Dollar bought the ring about four months ago. The price was \$300, but she paid only \$35 cash. The balance of \$265 has since remained unpaid. Dollar is also named as a defendant in the suit.

ALTMAN'S PRETTY NEW HEADQUARTERS

Beautifully Appointed Store and Exquisite Display of Women's Wearing Apparel

Altman's, Incorporated, has joined the ranks of downtown shops, and opened yesterday at 139-143 Geary street, just above Grant avenue, with a display of wearing apparel for women such as has seldom been equaled in San Francisco.

Two floors are handsomely fitted up with every facility for the most advantageous showing of the dainty gowns, the handsome costumes and other articles of women's needs.

Curly birch and white birch, in pleasing contrast, are used in the woodwork of the entire store, panelings, counters and showcases being in these materials. The effect produced by this woodwork is singularly light, and this has been sought after particularly by the managers of the firm, who feel that no better guarantee could be given of their goods than the opportunity to view them in the strongest light.

On the first floor are ladies' blouses and waists and petticoats in infinite variety, and on this floor will be the millinery department also, which is to open in a few weeks. On the second floor are the costumes and tailor suits, and there are to be found all grades of goods, from the moderately priced to the most costly.

THE FITTING ROOMS

The fitting rooms, finished entirely in the birch wood, are placed at the front of the building of the second floor, where great windows let in a flood of light, and at the rear are the workrooms.

Costly green velvet carpets cover the floors in the costume department, and a beautifully appointed French room, all in white and gold, is there for the judging of evening gowns in various soft hues lights.

UNABLE TO PROSECUTE HER THIEVING PARENT

Richard Ebben in Luck, as His Daughter Anna Is a Minor

Richard Ebben, 2103 Eighteenth avenue South, who disappeared last week with \$300 saved from her earnings as a stenographer by his daughter, Anna, is under arrest in Ogdun. When arrested he had \$275 in his pockets.

As Anna was only 18 years of age yesterday, the warrant she swore to for her father's arrest is useless, as when she swore to it she was a minor and the money was earned by her when she was a minor. That will prevent Ebben from being extradited.

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CHICAGO MINISTERS DROP PROF. FOSTER

Hisses, Howls and General Din of Confusion at Stormy Session

CHICAGO, June 21.—Professor George R. Foster of the University of Chicago, whose denial of the divinity of Christ in a recent book stirred Chicago Baptists to a high pitch of resentment, was dropped from the Baptist ministers' conference of Chicago today.

Hisses, yells and general confusion made the meeting one of the stormiest ever held by churchmen in Chicago, and it was referred to by one preacher as resembling a political meeting in a rowdy ward.

Speakers who had been howled or hissed down sat with flushed, indignant faces, while the chairman pounded for order.

After four hours, worn out by their exertions and emotions, the preachers adopted the resolution dropping Professor Foster.

TROUBLE OVER SHACKS—Mrs. Annie Tillson, 46 Lloyd street, obtained a warrant yesterday for the arrest of "Jane Doe" on a charge of receiving stolen property, and warrants for the arrest of Donald Ross and William Brennan on a charge of grand larceny. Ross and Brennan are accused of stealing from the shack belonging to Mrs. Tillson, May 21, doors, porch, steps, windows and partitions, which they sold to Mrs. Law.

Equipped With Republe Tires

Francis J. Heney will take his vacation in his motor car, like many other enthusiasts, Heney is having his car equipped with Republe tires, which will be of Staggard tread pattern.

PERMISSION GIVEN FOR AUTO CONTEST

Alameda County Supervisors Will Allow State Club to Hold Road Race

Course Will Be Over the Scenic Boulevard Near Oakland

By R. R. L'HOMMEDIEU

It now looks as if there would be a big road race in California this year. A. B. Watson of the Automobile Club of California said some time ago that he had passed up the proposition to the Oakland people, and it remained with them to get the course. At first there was opposition from the supervisors of Alameda county, but at the meeting held yesterday this objection was removed and the supervisors granted permission to the club to hold the road race over the scenic boulevard. Supervisor Bridge, who opposed the races on the ground that the roadway would be damaged, withdrew his objections today because of the wishes of his constituents. Communications from the Highland and Fitchburg improvement clubs, asking for permission to conduct the races were read.

When the metal schedule was recently taken up by the ways and means committee of the house of representatives at Washington, a delegation of men representing the automobile interests of the country was in attendance, and the facts were produced to show that the automobile capital of the nation was \$187,000,000; that the automobile industry gave employment directly to 103,000 people, and through related trades to 100,000 more. The rapidity of the growth of the industry was shown by the fact that although the history of the automobile covers little over a decade 150,000 motor cars have within that time been put into use in this country and that a 50 per cent increase in prospect for 1909, the manufacturers promising to have 75,000 new cars on the market. This will mean the marketing of one vehicle for every 1,000 people. The estimated value of the automobile product of the United States for the coming season is \$150,000,000. The manufacturers number 353, and of these 125 are manufacturers of motor cars that are recognized as practical and of standard grades. There are 19 in Michigan, 13 in Indiana, 10 in New York and 8 in Ohio. The wages paid in this country in the automobile industry run 150 per cent per workman over those paid abroad. The work for which the American gets 25 cents per hour the foreigner gets but 10 cents for.

Good Roads at Winters

"The road from Winters to Davis, a distance of 16 miles, is perfectly smooth," says T. H. Fenley of Winters, who uses a Studebaker in that portion of the state continuously. "From Winters to Woodland, to Dixon, to Vacaville, to Pleasant Valley and Monticello the roads are exceptionally good. In some places there are some steep grades, but the roads could not be improved upon."

How Barbers Used Knife for Disease

Blood Letting of Olden Days Often Seemed to Do Patient Much Good

Striped Red and White Pole of Today Symbol of the Bleeding Staff

Intense interest and some controversy has been aroused in San Francisco by the odd theories and peculiar ideas of the young Cooper "stomach man," who has been meeting the people for more than nine weeks at the Owl drug store in the Phelan building. When interviewed yesterday he had another thought to advance, which no doubt will result in still more discussion. He said:

"In olden days barbers acted as the only doctors. They carried a white staff with a red tape attached, which they gave their patients to hold while they cut gashes in their limbs to bleed them. The red and white striped barber pole of today symbolizes that staff with the red tape wound about it.

"In those days bleeding was the only remedy for practically all forms of illness. And strange as it seems to us now, it generally did the patient a whole lot of good, although, of course, it never effected a permanent cure. The reason, I believe, was the same one that holds true today—people who had been stuffing and overloading their stomachs with all kinds of food and had failed to exercise enough to keep themselves healthy were all clogged up. The blood letting relieved the congested condition of the body, forced the heart to work harder and pump new, fresh blood into the veins; and for a short while the patient felt better.

"But it never cured anybody, for it was only treating the effect and not the cause. The cause was stomach trouble. The tremendous strain of overloading the stomach with no regard for the work it had to do had thrown the whole machinery of the body out of gear. The stomach was overtaxed and refused to do its work. And so gout, bad blood, constipation, kidney and liver trouble, bladder disease, gastritis, dyspepsia, rheumatism, headaches, dizziness, gas on the stomach and dozens of other minor complaints followed in the wake of that one central fault—stomach trouble.

"By the modern day method we go to the root of the trouble and treat the stomach. My method of treatment is to tone up the whole system while acting directly on the stomach. When the stomach is put in a normal, healthy condition it will do its work properly and I know that mighty few people can be sick if their stomach is in shape."

One of Cooper's callers yesterday was Mrs. Sarsfield of 1407 Baker street. She said:

"I had been a sufferer from chronic constipation for five or six years, and suffered the most intense pain at times. I was all run down and didn't know what health was. I tried Cooper's New Discovery treatment, after I had become skeptical through failure to get relief from any other remedy, and now I feel like a different woman. My bowels move regularly and I do not suffer any pain."

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