

TISDALE FACES REMOVAL FROM MEDICAL BOARD

Accounts of Physician Declared to Show a Shortage of About \$1,300

Never Knowingly Took Money, Says Secretary of State Medical Board

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say as to whether he had made good the amount missing.

He said: "I have never knowingly taken anybody's money. I have many faults and have made many errors. Every person makes mistakes. I have heard something of a reported shortage of state board of medical examiner funds, but clerical errors may be the cause. I do not care to say anything more at the present time."

When asked if he had made any payment of the shortage, by check or otherwise, he declined to answer.

Whether Doctor Tisdale will be able to persuade the governor that the discrepancy was caused through carelessness and a lax method of conducting the business of the board of examiners, and not with any intent to defraud the state, remains to be settled by the governor.

CHANCE FOR JOHNSON Friends of Doctor Tisdale contend that it is more than likely that Governor Johnson will take advantage of the opportunity of ousting Tisdale, who was appointed by other members during the administration of Governor Gillett. That there is a likelihood of criminal proceedings is conceded possible.

Doctor Tisdale has been an active "regular" republican for years, and those close to him admit that he has left himself open to the vengeance of those now in power by getting into considerable anxiety the action of the governor.

A man close to Doctor Tisdale on the board of examiners said yesterday that the secretary, in explaining how the shortage occurred, said that the applicants would sometimes crowd into the office and put their money down, and during the confusion they did not take properly signed up, entry of the \$25 fee would be forgotten. While he realized this was rather a poor way to conduct a business approximating sometimes many thousands of dollars a year, he said that his explanation was as to how the discrepancy occurred.

WON'T ADMIT SHORTAGE Members of the state board of medical examiners in this city who were seen yesterday in explaining how the shortage existed, but did admit that they were aware something had gone wrong. They refused to commit themselves upon the ground that they did not care to say anything until the report of the board of control had been filed and made public.

Dr. George F. Reinhardt of the University of California, who was a member of the state board of examiners, yesterday admitted that there was a shortage in the accounts of the secretary, and he said that through an unofficial source he had been informed of the shortage in the accounts of the secretary. Doctor Reinhardt said that while his information was unofficial it was authorized.

He said that he did not believe that Doctor Tisdale committed a crime willfully. He, however, characterized the conduct of the affairs of the board by its secretary as "inexcusable carelessness."

UP TO HIM TO MAKE GOOD "The records ought to show," Doctor Reinhardt quotes Doctor Tisdale, as saying, when confronted with the facts of the case, "and if there is a shortage it is up to me to make good. I do not know how it happened."

Doctor Tisdale, who was appointed by Governor Gillett, admits that this is a golden opportunity for Governor Johnson to appoint a new board if he desires one.

Doctor Reinhardt said: "I have no official knowledge of this shortage. That is, I mean it has not been called to my attention as a member of the board. I do know, however, that the state board of control, which began an investigation of the board's work some time ago, found the reported discrepancy in the accounts in the same unofficial way that Doctor Tisdale made good this amount, whatever it is, but I do not know how great was the shortage."

"I do not believe that Doctor Tisdale intended any shortage. He is a rich man. I believe the occurrence is due to inexcusable carelessness. There is no way for me to estimate the amount. The business done by the board during the last five years has totaled \$40,000, or the collection of a fee of \$25 for 1,600 licenses, but of this various expenses have been met."

"I presume Doctor Tisdale merely overlooked matters at times, and in that way failed to put in money for the fund at the same time that records would be made. The result would be an accumulation which would make a shortage—how large, I do not know. By this carelessness the chance for criticism would come, and there could be no expenditure, on the other hand, not accounted for, for in that case Doctor Tisdale would deal with a bank and the treasurer."

"Because of this double financial system, I do not suppose the shortage could be very great. I believe that matters were simply in this rather haphazard condition when the board of control began investigation. As to what action will be taken, I, of course, have no knowledge."

ALAMEDA COUNTY CORONER Dr. Charles Tisdale is a resident of Alameda. At the present time he is coroner of that county. His home is at 1601 Alameda avenue. His wife and daughters left two weeks ago on a visit through the east. The father of Doctor Tisdale, Dr. T. P. Tisdale, resides in Alameda also.

Doctor Tisdale and his family settled in Alameda 25 years ago, coming to that city from Honolulu. Prior to that time they had lived in Indianapolis.

Owing to large property interests, he retired from practice some years ago. Soon after locating in Alameda he entered politics, identifying himself with the republicans. He was a member of the board of education for several terms, and lost that position after an exciting campaign. He was elected coroner of Alameda county in 1906 and again in 1910. He is 55 years of age, and is rated as one of the county's best public speakers.

Members of the board of medical examiners residing in San Francisco who have been aware of the investigation that has been conducted by the board of control are: Dr. W. W. Vanderburg, vice president; Dr. Charles Clark, treasurer; and Dr. J. Henry Barbat.

Wizardry of Infant Smiles Wins Friends for Shelter

Upper picture shows a group of babies at the infant shelter. Below are photographs of some of the officers of shelter.



MRS. HENRY P. UMBSEN, MRS. GEORGE M. PERINE, MRS. ADRIAN SPETZOLD, MRS. FRED MCWILLIAMS

Grown-up Visitors Are Received by Baby Hosts With Welcome of "Goo-goos"

The wizardry of winning smiles and affectionate little hands and arms and all the other charming coquetties of plump, rosy, friendly very small persons made the annual reception and baby show of the Infant Shelter out at the home in Shotwell street a wonderful success yesterday.

It was an afternoon given up to wholesome, unashamed sentiment for most of the visitors, and it was made possible because of the practical and efficient management of the Shelter throughout the year. The babies were so healthy and joyful that no one could resist them.

There are 50 children in the Shelter, in three departments. First of all are the infants—one is but 2 months old—then come the "runners," as they are technically termed, who are the most numerous and who are all that the name implies; then the children of kindergarten and school age.

In the sunny garden at the rear, where there are no steps for little legs to stumble down, but inclined planes instead, where the grass grows ragedily and greenly, where there are blossoming trees and a big gray cat, the "runners" gathered in clean, "bustier browned" state to be photographed, and enjoyed every minute of it. Later they were photographed by flashlight in their big sunny nursery, shouting with glee when the flash exploded.

Tea was served during the afternoon by the following members of the auxiliary: Mrs. Albert Wirtner, Mrs. Emma Baker, Mrs. E. R. Bacon, Miss Lucy Friber, Miss Grace Wolfert, Miss Louise Eschmann and Miss Florence O'Connor.

The president of the Shelter, Mrs. Charles E. Cooper, is in the east at the present time and was unable to be present, but most of the other officers acted on the reception committee. The officers and directors are: Honorary president, Mrs. Charles E. Cooper; president, Mrs. Charles E. Cooper; first vice president, Mrs. Gustave H. Umbson; second vice president, Mrs. George M. Perine; treasurer, Mrs. Jack Matthews; recording secretary, Mrs. Duncan MacKintley; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Philip Baneroff; directors, Mrs. Charles E. Cooper, Mrs. Gustave H. Umbson, Mrs. George Mairs Perine, Mrs. Jack Matthews, Mrs. Duncan MacKintley, Mrs. Philip Baneroff, Mrs. George Tashira, Miss Henrietta E. Taylor, Mrs. Clarence W. Coburn, Mrs. Leffer J. Holton, Mrs. William Elmer Cheney, Mrs. Fred McWilliams, Mrs. Ernest (Glow) M. Brown, Mrs. Jonathan Swiggert, Mrs. Manfred H. Heyneman, Mrs. William J. Shotwell, Mrs. E. M. Brady, Mrs. John H. Robinson, Mrs. Adrian Spetzold, Mrs. Henry P. Umbson.

WEST SHASTA GOES WET—Bedding, April 25. The western part of Shasta county, constituting superintending district No. 2, voted "wet" today by a majority of 17.

OFFICERS CHOSEN BY NATIVE SONS

Banquet at Park Closes Annual Session of Grand Parlor in Fresno

FRESNO, April 25.—The thirty-fifth annual session of the grand parlor of Native Sons of the Golden West closed tonight with a banquet at Zapp's park, at which Harry Say of Selma acted as toastmaster, and plates were laid for 500 members. Among the speakers were Grand President C. E. Jarvis, Junior Past Grand President H. C. Lichtenberger, former State Senator Charles Belshaw and G. V. Lichtenberger, Attorney Percy V. Long of San Francisco spoke on the Panama-Pacific exposition of 1915.

The grand parlor of the Native Sons late this afternoon elected the following annual officers, the returns, although counted, have not been verified: Past grand president—H. C. Lichtenberger of Los Angeles. Grand president—Clarence E. Jarvis of Sutter Creek. Grand first vice president—Thomas P. Monahan of San Jose. Grand second vice president—Louis Mosconi of San Francisco. Grand third vice president—John F. Davis of Amador. Grand marshal—W. E. O'Connor of Stockton. Grand secretary—Fred Jung of San Francisco. Grand treasurer—John E. McDougall of San Francisco. Grand inside sentinel—A. S. Groth of San Francisco. Grand trustees—Bismarck Bruck, Ted C. Atwood, Joseph V. Snyder, Thomas J. Lennon, W. Tomney, William P. Canban and J. J. McElroy. Grand sentinel—Charles P. Mosconi of Sutter side parlor.

While Mosconi received only 152 votes for outside sentinel on the first ballot, it is less than necessary to a choice, no second ballot was taken, as the other four candidates withdrew and the vote for Mosconi was made unanimous.

The largest number of votes for grand trustee was received by Bismarck Bruck of St. Helena parlor, with 261 ballots. The votes of the other six winners follow: Atwood 296, Snyder 275, Lennon 263, Tomney 260, McElroy 195, Sewall 193. Percy V. Long received only 170 votes.

The report of the finance committee adopted a resolution calling upon the national government to expend more money for the improvement of the Yosemite National park. The vote was taken after a resolution had been amended to the effect that the order was not prepared to send a representative east to urge the work.

Judge F. G. Ostrander of Merced, who introduced the resolution, pointed out that at least \$100,000 was needed to put the park in fair condition. Better roads and better hotel accommodations were necessary, he said, especially in view of the fact that the Panama-Pacific exposition will soon be held.

A resolution was adopted calling upon the governor and the commander of the United States army to use troops only for emergency purposes on Admission day.

The charter of the Madera parlor was revoked along with those of two others. This action was taken on the allegation that quarrels and bickerings among the members of these parlors had served to weaken the organization. The other two parlors "killed" were Nipomo 123 and Santa Monica 137.

The grand parlor voted to establish a monument to General Winn, the founder of the order. A bust statue will be installed in the Native Sons' building in San Francisco.

The report of the finance committee was read and accepted. This report provides \$3,000 for the research for historical literature in progress in California; \$1,500 for the grand organizer, who has \$1,000 in his fund; \$2,000 for the special relief of weaker parlors; \$1,000 for the preservation of landmarks; \$250 for the care of the building on the site at Pomona where the Native Sons plan to establish a home.

The estimate of this committee of the expenses of the grand parlor during the ensuing year was \$27,895, and in order to raise this amount each subordinate parlor will be assessed on the basis of \$110 for each member.

A resolution requesting an appropriation of \$400 for the restoration of the Mission San Jose was referred to the committee on historical landmarks.

The realistic work of the order was simplified by resolutions making eliminations and additions.

The proposal to change the basis of representation in the grand parlor was made the subject of an exciting debate just before the noon recess, with the result that no change was made from the plan that has been in vogue for years.

Those opposing the new plan argued that a change to the method suggested would give San Francisco almost absolute control of the grand parlor, that city having 103 delegates out of 395.

MAN CRUCIFIED BY MEXICAN BANDITS

Death Follows Arrival in San Francisco, but Facts Are Concealed

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to prevent the murders from becoming known.

The two brothers had been working as civil engineers on a Mexican railroad near Vera Cruz. With them was the wife of the younger man. When the proclamation of President Taft was published advising all foreigners to flee the country they obtained a little food by hunting or purchase at villages not frequented by the bandits.

In a few weeks they neared Vera Cruz almost starving and with their clothes hanging from their hands and feet. They were subjected to torture and insult and were stripped of their scant clothing for valuables and money.

After a night of torture the Americans were given a drumhead court-martial and again tortured, with the threat that if they did not disclose where they had hidden their money they would be killed. Although they denied that they possessed any valuables, the three were taken to an open field near a barn, and there the woman was killed and the brothers hung and crucified.

Hoisted by a rope tied around his waist, S. E. Taylor was suspended against the side of the barn, but the bandits hurried away and, with a rope around his neck, hoisted to one of the upper branches.

The cries of each victim added to the torture of the others, who were powerless to offer assistance.

The bandits hurried away on seeing several wagons on a nearby road, possibly with the expectation of looting the vehicles.

Although badly injured, John Taylor succeeded in freeing himself after the bandits left by reaching up to a branch of the tree while he loosened the loop which had been fastened to his neck, where his brother was crucified, he extracted the nails with his bare fingers and lowered the body to the ground.

The woman was dead when he reached her side.

Just before dusk a passing wagon was halted. John Taylor, his brother and the mutilated body of his sister in law were conveyed into Vera Cruz. The American consul was found and medical aid given the wounded man.

Whether the consul made a report to the Washington authorities is not known, but the facts have been kept quiet.

The crimes were told the passengers and officers of the steamer San Juan by both brothers. S. E. Taylor related the incidents several times on the passage up the coast and repeated them just before he died. John Taylor verified the horrible tale to Surgeon O. B. Spaulding of the central emergency hospital while his brother was dying on the operating table.

Not having enough money to secure their passage back to the United States, the American consul secured them transportation on the San Juan, on which the wounded men were under the care of Doctor Spencer, surgeon of the ship. On arrival of the vessel at San Francisco Dr. M. C. Terry of the United States quarantine station was advised of the case on making his medical examination of the passengers.

When the ship docked the brothers were taken to the central emergency hospital, but no record seems to have been made of the affair by the steamship officials. The government has conducted a secret investigation to determine where the men were taken, but was not successful. Doctor Terry says that he made inquiries at all hospitals, but failed to locate the injured man. He then watched for an autopsy at the morgue, but did not learn of any being held.

At the Factory Mail steamship office it was said that no passengers had been treated by Doctor Spencer, but the names were furnished of four men who had received medical treatment, all of whom were members of the crew.

John Taylor took the remains of his brother to Salt Lake City the first of this week.

JEWISH QUARTER IN FEZ A HORROR

Moorish Soldiery Indulged in Unspeakable Atrocities in Pillaging City

FEZ, Morocco, Monday, April 22 (delayed in transmission).—The Jewish quarter of Fez presented a lamentable spectacle as a result of the recent pillaging and looting by the revolting Moors.

Of the 12,000 Jewish residents no fewer than 7,000 were made homeless by fire and these now have taken refuge, half naked and hungry, in the gardens of the sultan's palace.

Hundreds of emaciated human beings are huddled together in empty cages of the sultan's menagerie and are surrounded by cages containing wild beasts, which, maddened by the sight of human flesh, fill the gardens with their roars.

One of the assassins of Colonel Lory confessed that the Moorish women were the ringleaders in his murder. They tried his arms and legs, and then stabbed him to death. The mob sacked and burned at its pleasure, destroying everything that came in its way. The synagogues were wrecked and the sacred books and parchments torn and burned.

At the French, British and other consulates bread is being supplied to the starving refugees and the consuls are making efforts to find shelter for the homeless.

The bodies of the French officers killed in the recent fighting have not yet been all found, but those recovered show that the soldiers suffered terrible tortures.

Many arrests of Moorish soldiers and citizens of Fez have been effected. The prisoners will be tried by court-martial.

ELEPHANT PRESENTS 'BABY' TO KEEPERS

Mistress Alice Resents Visit of Stork and Punishes Her Trainer

[Special Dispatch to The Call] SALINAS, April 25.—The first baby elephant bred and born in captivity in America, according to authenticated records, saw the light of day this afternoon at 5 o'clock in this city, where the Sells-Floto show appeared, the baby being the offspring of Alice and Junbo II, two pachyderms owned for Junbo II, two pachyderms owned for Junbo II, two pachyderms owned for Junbo II.

Besides being the first baby elephant born in captivity, the new arrival, which has been christened Native Son, is the largest, weighing 180 pounds and standing two feet high and three feet long.

For some unaccountable reason Alice, the mother, immediately after the birth of the calf, tried to kill it, and so great was her fury over an addition to the family that a panic was started among the other animals. In trying to rescue the baby Head Elephant Trainer Fred Alsop was thrown 20 feet and narrowly escaped death.

The calf was rescued, and everything known to medical science is being done to keep it alive. It is in good condition at present, but upon orders from H. P. Tamman, owner of the show, who is in San Francisco, the calf will be left in Salinas for a few days and then sent to San Francisco in a specially made car.

The father of Native Son is reputed to be the largest elephant in captivity, weighing nine tons.

The arrival of the baby was unexpected, so no special arrangements had been made for its reception.

BOY WANTED BY SLUTS—Two detectives are looking for Sammy Silverman, a 17 year old youth, who left Nordman Brothers Jewelry company of 110 Post street, yesterday afternoon with \$50 worth of premium jewelry to be delivered to various firms in the city.

TIME CHANGES

EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 1912 From Third and Townsend Streets Station, San Francisco

- No. 32—Santa Cruz Passenger will leave San Francisco 6:00 a. m. daily instead of 6:30 a. m.
No. 22—Coaster for Los Angeles and Way Stations will leave San Francisco 7:00 a. m. daily instead of 8:05 a. m.
No. 54—Los Gatos Way Passenger will leave San Francisco 6:00 p. m. daily, except Sunday, instead of 6:05 p. m.
No. 68—San Bruno Passenger will leave San Francisco 6:05 p. m. daily, except Sunday, instead of 6:10 p. m.
No. 76—The Lark for Los Angeles will leave San Francisco 7:40 p. m. daily instead of 8:00 p. m.
Nos. 24-23—San Luis Obispo Passenger will be discontinued; the work of these trains will be performed by Nos. 22 and 17.
No. 9—Sunset Express will arrive at 8:30 a. m. daily instead of 9:15 a. m.
No. 17—Los Angeles Passenger will arrive at 3:45 p. m. daily instead of 8:30 a. m.
No. 19—Shore Line Limited will arrive at 9:50 p. m. daily instead of 9:30 p. m.
From Foot of Market Street, San Francisco:
No. 90—San Jose Passenger will leave Oakland Pier 6:10 a. m.; the present boat connection from San Francisco at 6:40 a. m. daily will be discontinued.
No. 82—Sacramento Passenger via Niles will leave San Francisco 7:20 a. m. daily instead of 7:40 a. m.
No. 52—Fresno Passenger will leave San Francisco 2:00 p. m. daily instead of 3:20 p. m.
No. 50—San Joaquin Valley Flyer for Los Angeles will leave San Francisco 3:00 p. m. daily instead of 4:20 p. m.
No. 49—San Joaquin Valley Flyer will arrive at 12:30 p. m. daily instead of 12:10 p. m.
No. 81—Lodi-Stockton Passenger will arrive at 10:50 a. m. daily via Niles instead of 10:30 a. m. via Martinez.
No. 51—Fresno Passenger will arrive at 10:00 p. m. daily instead of 10:40 p. m.

EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1912 Via Oakland Harbor Route Automobile and motorcycle ferry service will be established as follows:

- From Ferry, San Francisco—Week days—6:00 a. m. and every half hour until 9:00 p. m., inclusive.
Sundays—6:00 a. m. and every half hour until 10:00 p. m., inclusive.
From First and Broadway, Oakland—Week days—6:15 a. m. and every half hour until 8:45 p. m., inclusive.
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