

MINA IN FEAR OF VOLCANIC ERUPTION

Racing Balloons Is Latest Society Fad

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Peter Claudianes in custody of Detectives George Burns and McCarthy arrived in San Francisco this evening. The party was met at the Oakland mole by Detective William J. Burns in an automobile and taken away. Efforts to locate him by reporters have thus far been unsuccessful. Claudianes doubtless will be closeted with District Attorney Langdon some time before being locked up and will be cautioned to keep silent.

Railway Town Is Enveloped in Deep Wall of Smoke Which Carries Strong Odor of Sulphur.

(By Associated Press.)
RENO, Aug. 14.—Reports received at Sparks say residents of Mina are perturbed over what they believe to be a volcanic eruption. The town is wrapped in a deep wall of smoke and is strong with the odor of sulphur. An investigating party has been sent out to discover the source of it if possible.

Claudianes Back to Scene of Dynamiting

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Aug. 14.—The balloon North Adams No. 1 with A. D. Potter as pilot and A. Holland Forbes and daughter, Natilie, 12 years old, and sixteen passengers undoubtedly won the cup offered by Forbes in the first point to point race ever held in this country this afternoon. Three balloons started in the race, the conditions of which were that they should travel over thirty miles and land within a mile of some place designated by the operator of the balloon before starting. Each balloon ascended to a height of about 3000 feet. There were no accidents.

WELSH IS GIVEN DECISION

ENGLISH LIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPION CLEARLY OUTCLASSES JOHNNY MURPHY.

(By Associated Press.)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 14.—Freddy Welsh, English lightweight champion, was awarded the decision over Johnny Murphy of San Francisco at the end of fifteen rounds before the Jeffries club tonight. The fight was the greatest exhibition of gameness ever seen in the local ring. Murphy reeled through fifteen rounds in a groggy condition. Welsh outclassed him, but was unable to knock him out. Jack Arnold of San Francisco knocked out Harry Sullivan in the preliminary. Eddie Graney refereed the main event.

EAGLES WILL FLY TO OMAHA IN 1909

(By Associated Press.)
SEATTLE, Aug. 14.—Omaha was selected by the order of Eagles to hold their next convention. The administration ticket, as selected by the nominating committee, went through without a hitch.

HARRIMAN AND GOULD WIN CASE

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 14.—George Gould, E. H. Harriman and other officials of the Union Pacific Railroad company were defendants in a suit in which the United States court of appeals for the district of St. Louis, handed down a decision today and gave the plaintiffs a severe reprimand. The action was the result of a controversy over the ownership of \$27,299,000 worth of bonds of the Union Pacific railroad, claimed by the administrators of the estate of Charles Durkee, who died in Wisconsin in 1870. The court characterized the suit as a fraud and stated in its opinion that the plaintiffs succeeded in defrauding Durkee out of \$50,000.

HOT SHOT FOR ORATOR BRYAN

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Aug. 14.—Indorsing the Chicago platform, the Republican nominee on the national ticket and President Roosevelt's policies, Oklahoma Republicans in convention here today adopted a platform for the state campaign. The Democratic method of raising revenues by popular subscription was denounced. Of Bryan's stand in this regard the resolution says: "We disapprove and condemn the position of the Democratic candidate for president in his undignified and repeated personal requests on the public for campaign contributions. Not content with having amassed an immense private fortune from the public while advocating his political interests, he now claims from that public that they shall contribute further and pay the freight for his candidacy. It may be truthfully said of him: 'He has strengthened nothing of a public nature he has touched.'"

DIVORCE FOR THAW'S SISTER.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The decree granted February 5 by Sir Birrell Barnes, president of the divorce court, to the Countess of Yarmouth, who was Miss Alice Thaw of Pittsburg, nullifying her marriage to the Earl of Yarmouth, has been made an absolute decree by the court, the necessary six months having elapsed. The case is described on the records as Yarmouth, otherwise Thaw, versus Yarmouth. This leads to the presumption that the countess contemplates resuming her maiden name.

FLEET DEPARTS.

AUCKLAND, Aug. 14.—The American fleet departed for Sydney this morning. The weather was fine and large crowds were out to say farewell.

WHITES MOB THE BLACKS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 14.—A mob bent on doing violence to the negro population of Springfield because of an assault on a white woman here today by a negro is raging through the streets tonight, beating negroes and disregarding soldiers of the First Cavalry. The governor has ordered more soldiers of the militia here from Peoria. The negroes in various portions of the town have been attacked by the mob and in some instances have turned on the mob and inflicted severe injuries to white men. Some soldiers were disarmed and their guns carried away by members of the mob. A white man and his son were shot here tonight and both severely injured. This has further angered the mob. It was supposed to have been done by negroes. The Springfield militia is powerless to control the enraged citizens.

ASK RECEIVER FOR FRED. DORR

(By Associated Press.)
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 14.—A petition in bankruptcy, asking for the appointment of a receiver for the affairs of Fred Dorr, the Los Angeles and San Francisco broker and member of the New York stock exchange, was filed in the United States district court today. Judge Wellborn allowed the petition and appointed Carroll Allen, an attorney, receiver. Dorr himself filed with the court his consent to the proceedings. The petitioners were creditors having claims aggregating \$12,135.08 against Dorr. These creditors are Henry S. Winters, who claims \$2531.50 for money loaned; P. V. F. Johnson, \$2301.37, and W. E. Ramsey, \$702.21, both of the latter making claims for money received from them by Dorr.

BRYAN IN HAPPY FRAME OF MIND

(By Associated Press.)
LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 14.—The prophesy of State Chairman Connors of New York that Bryan would carry that state, and the receipts of a large number of letters and telegrams of congratulation on his speech served to put the Democratic nominee in a happy frame of mind today. The program for Bryan for the campaign has not been made up yet, but it has been settled that he will devote considerable time to Ohio, the native state of Mr. Taft.

CHARGED WITH PERJURY.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Indictments were found today accusing Mrs. Benjamin Teal, H. M. Mousley, a private detective, and Julia Fleming, a seamstress, of attempting to subornation of perjury in inducing Mabel MacCausland to give false evidence against Frank J. Gould in the divorce brought by Mrs. Gould.

COURT DECLARES THAW INSOLVENT

PITTSBURG, Aug. 14.—Harry K. Thaw was formally adjudged a bankrupt at 11 o'clock yesterday by Referee in Bankruptcy W. R. Blair. This action was a surprise to those interested in the case, as United States Commissioner William T. Lindsey had set August 21 as the date for the adjudication. No explanation of the change of plans and this morning's action has been made, but it is believed here that Receiver Roger O'Mara's visit to Thaw at Poughkeepsie Wednesday may have had something to do with the move. O'Mara was hurriedly summoned by Thaw on Monday.

No hearing was held previous to the entering of the formal order of adjudication, and Referee Blair has not announced the date of the meeting of Thaw's creditors. Under the law it must be held not sooner than ten days or later than thirty days. Referee Blair will probably announce the date for this meeting of creditors tomorrow.

An effort will be made to bring Thaw to Pittsburg for the first meeting of creditors, and unless District Attorney Jerome of New York is able to prevent his coming, it is believed that Thaw will be in Pittsburg within thirty days. Thaw's petition in bankruptcy was filed August 7, and Roger O'Mara was named as receiver. The petition sets forth that Thaw's liabilities are \$453,140.43 and his assets \$128,012.38.

WILL VISIT AFRICA.

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Aug. 14.—General Booth, the venerable head of the Salvation army, continues to be one of the wonders of the age. In his eightieth year he is just completing his fifth automobile tour through Great Britain. Starting from Dundee, the general and his staff have visited scores of towns, and addressed hundreds of meetings. Everywhere he has been received with enormous crowds. General Booth's next trip will be to South Africa.

DEMOCRATIC CLUBS TO BE ORGANIZED

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—A call for the organization of Democratic clubs in every voting precinct in the United States was issued by the national committee. All organizations in sympathy are expected to assist in the work. They want clubs formed before the 15th of September.

BLOODY FIGHT ON ATLANTIC LINER

PLYMOUTH, Eng., Aug. 14.—Two passengers on the steamer Teutonic, an American and an Englishman, Fred Nolan of Washington and Henry Duval of London, engaged in a real prize fight at sea. During the trip there had been much ill feeling between Nolan and Duval over the results of the Olympiad, and always the argument ran high over the respective merits of the English and American athletes.

On Sunday the discussion reached boiling point and the two men almost came to blows. Then some one in the smoking room suggested there was no better way of settling the vexed question of national superiority in sports than by putting up the two men as representatives of their respective countries and having them fight it out. It was agreed that they should meet for a seven-round fight Monday morning at 6 o'clock.

Everybody was up early Monday morning. A ring was formed on the afterdeck and the passengers crowded to the ringside. A San Franciscan acted as referee and Marquis of Queensberry rules were read to govern the contest, except that no gloves were used.

Both men fought like tigers. The first round was in Duval's favor, and the second closed with Nolan's eyes in mourning. In the third round Duval's nose was smashed and he bled freely. Nolan came lightly to the scratch in the fifth, rushed at Duval, landed on the point of the jaw and the Englishman went to sleep.

FORMAL OPENING OCCURS AT NOON

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—The western headquarters of the Republican campaign committee will be ready for formal opening at noon tomorrow. Chairman Hitchcock arrived today and was highly pleased with the quarters selected. A conference between Hitchcock and members of the general committee will be held in the new rooms tomorrow. Hitchcock will begin his trips about the country next week.

ENTOMBED IN MINE.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 12.—Six of the eighteen miners who were entombed in the Santa Gertrudis mine near Pachuca, Hidalgo, were rescued alive early this morning. They were imprisoned five days ago as the result of a cave in. Twelve of them are still below the ground and the tapping on a pipe indicates that some of them are yet alive. Rescuing parties are working all sorts of shifts boring through a wall of solid rock.

STRIKE WILL BE SETTLED

CANADIAN RAILWAY COMMISSION TO BRING ABOUT AMICABLE SETTLEMENT.

(By Associated Press.)
WINNIPEG, Aug. 14.—It was learned tonight that the Canadian government, through its railway commission, will interfere in the strike. The prospects are for an amicable settlement within twenty-four hours. J. H. McVey, in charge of the local strike, left for the east tonight.

OBJECT TO ANTICS OF RELIGIONISTS

(By Associated Press.)
SANTA ROSA, Aug. 14.—Residents of Fifth street between A and B streets, are aroused over the conduct of a so-called Pentecostal Mission which is being conducted there. The mission is somewhat on the lines of the "Holy Rollers," and the mission workers and converts howl and go through contortions that would do credit to dervishes. For weeks past people near the mission have been unable to sleep until midnight and 2 o'clock in the morning owing to the noise made by the fanatics. Complaint has been made to the police. Visitors who have gone inside the place declare the scenes within the mission are fearful to behold, and that women go from one faint into another rapidly and roll off benches where they are placed. The weird noises made by the people in the mission is called "talking with tongues," and it is described by those in charge as the bodies of those so talking being in communion with the spirits and speaking an entirely new language. This they forget as soon as they return to earth again.

HOTLEY CONTESTED RACES.

(By Associated Press.)
SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 14.—Seven races were rowed the first day of the national rowing regatta and all were hotly contested. The honors of the day went to the Minnesota boat club of St. Paul. They captured the intermediate fours and eights.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results of Yesterday's Games.
Washington, 1; Chicago, 0 (first game); Washington, 3; Chicago, 2 (second game).
Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 2.
Boston, 2; Detroit, 5.
New York, 2; Cleveland, 4.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Pittsburg, 2; Boston, 1.
St. Louis, 4; Cincinnati, 5.
PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.
San Francisco, 2; Oakland, 1.
Los Angeles, 1; Portland, 5.
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THE MARKET.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The market closed very weak. Prime mercantile paper, 3 1/2 @ 4. Money on call, easy, 7-8 @ 1 1/4. Government bonds, steady. Railroad bonds irregular. Silver, 51 1/4; Mexican dollars, 45. Lead, dull, 4.57 @ 4.62 1/2. Lake copper, weak, 12 3-8 @ 12 3-4.