

CONSPIRACY TO MURDER LEADER

Alleged Plot to Kidnap and Kill McCarthy, Frisco Labor Leader, Stirs Unionists.

FIVE ELECTRICAL WORKERS IMPLICATED

Remarkable Confession Made by One of Conspirators—McCarthy Says Citizens Alliance Was Behind Plot.

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 25.—A sensational story was sprung in labor circles tonight of an alleged conspiracy and plot to kidnap and murder H. H. McCarthy, president of the Building Trades Council, one of the most prominent labor leaders in the city.

Shoekley implicated John Young, Jack Morris, Gus Bart, Gus Smith and J. Van Frank. McCarthy disclosed the alleged scheme at a meeting of the Building Trades Council and gave to the press what purported to be the confession of Shoekley, which had been sworn to before Charles France, a notary public.

McCarthy, according to Shoekley's confession was to be called to the door of his home, knocked senseless with a black jack, placed in an automobile waiting near by, taken to a lonely house on the beach and there chloroformed, after which the body was to have been thrown into the river.

Motive for Conspiracy. The motive of the alleged plot McCarthy finds in the enmity that the members of Electrical Workers Union No. 6 have for him because of the part he took as president of the Building Trades Council in the expulsion of the union from the council.

McCarthy ordered the union back to work under the threat of expulsion. Refusing to return to work it was expelled and the members regarded by the council as non-union men with whom they would not work.

STORMY SESSION BISBEE STRIKERS

Reported Conflict at Sunday's Meeting—Debs and St. John Expected There

The following is from Monday's issue of the Bisbee Evening Miner: Last night a meeting of the union members was held at Pythian castle for the purpose of discussing the situation and planning future action of the strikers.

After the session the meeting broke up and one by one the members straggled forth. In all there were, according to several counts, in the neighborhood of 250 men present.

will refuse to abide by the decision of the strike committee and will return to work whether or no.

When seen today at noon to ascertain his side of the matter, J. D. Cannon, a member of the strike committee and one of the original organizers of the union, stated that the report was to some extent true in so far as it concerned last night's meeting.

One statement which Cannon made would doubtless come as a surprise to Bisbee people, and that was that within the next few days it is very probable this city will receive a visit from Eugene V. Debs and from Vincent Saint John.

Aside from the union wrangles nothing is to be noted today. The mines are all proceeding nicely with the forces at their command and numbers of new men are coming into the camp.

HEAVY INCREASE FOR GILA COUNTY

Assessed Valuation Will Be Over Five Million—New Mine Tax Law

The assessed valuation of Gila county this year will greatly exceed that of last year and according to Assessor Merritt it will reach a figure considerably over \$5,000,000.

The new Doran mining tax law which was passed by the last legislature is partly responsible for the increase, although its workings have resulted in a decrease in the valuation of some of the mines in the district.

Under the new law, the assessed valuation of the Old Dominion and the United Globe Mines will be higher than last year, but that of the Arizona Commercial, Keystone and others will be cut down.

There has been considerable conflict between the assessor and several of the mining companies over the new method of taxing mines according to the Doran act.

CHRISTMAS IS PEACEFUL CAMP

Recent Killing First to Occur in Camp, Says Visitor from Christmas

According to Harry L. Hamilton of the Saddle Mountain Mining company, who is in the city from Christmas, that camp is the most peaceful community in Arizona, despite reports to the contrary which have recently given that camp much prominence.

The Mexican population of Christmas," said Mr. Hamilton, "is far greater than the American, but the recent killing of one of them by a deputy sheriff was the first which has occurred in the camp.

Fire in Minneapolis. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 25.—Fire destroyed the Wisconsin Central freight depot here today, causing a loss of \$400,000.

GLOBE DISTRICT NEW FLOTATION

Cananea-Arizona Consolidated Organization Perfected and Company Launched.

GOOD PROPERTY IN GLOBE AND CANAEA

Capitalized at \$2,500,000 and Shares Will Be Issued at First Call of \$1—Officers of the New Company.

Word has been received from Chicago that the organization of the Cananea-Arizona Consolidated Copper company has been perfected and that the company would be ready to begin development work on its Globe and Cananea properties in a very short time.

The company, judging from its officers and directors, is an exceptionally strong one, comprising well known capitalists and mining men of New York, Chicago, Duluth and other cities.

The following are the officers of the company: President, S. W. Osgood of Chicago, who secured the property, a mining engineer of considerable repute; vice president and treasurer, Charles E. Noble of the Elk Rapids Iron company of Chicago; secretary, James W. Luther, assistant cashier of the Jackson Park bank of Chicago; directors, Arthur T. Sexton, Minneapolis, purchasing agent Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad; Orlo M. Cone, Chicago, manager Edwin F. Daniels Coal company; J. A. Lamson, Chicago, president Lamson-Gohl Stryap company; John F. Donovan, secretary Federal Construction company, New York; and Messrs. Silverstein and Leathhead of Duluth; general solicitor, James Jay Sheridan, Chicago.

In the numerous flotations which have been made in the Globe district local investors have usually been allotted a small portion of stock and in some instances have been ignored.

The Globe properties of the company are too well known to require further mention and the Cananea properties of the company are exceptionally well located.

The La Viejita contains 100 acres with mines of the Greene company at Manzanal adjoining, with a vein thirty feet wide containing rich smelting ores, as well as some concentrating ore.

MADDENED PASSENGERS ALMOST KILL MOTORMAN

NEW YORK, April 25.—The sight of the mutilated body of a 16-year-old boy who had been killed by a Coney Island surface car transformed the passengers into a maddened mob which beat into

unconsciousness the motorman. The timely arrival of police reserves saved the man's life.

NO SETTLEMENT IS IN SIGHT AT ANGELS CAMP

By Associated Press. STOCKTON, Cal., April 25.—There are as yet no prospects of a settlement of the strike of miners at Angels Camp for an eight-hour day at the same wages they receive for ten hours.

FOIL ATTEMPT TO KILL PRINCE

Anarchist Well Armed Caught in Confessional of Brussels Church

By Associated Press. BRUSSELS, April 25.—An anarchist armed with a dagger, loaded revolver and other weapons was arrested today in the church where Prince Albert of Belgium, nephew of King Leopold and heir presumptive to the throne, was about to visit.

Prince Albert is a son of the late Count of Flanders, brother of King Leopold. On October 4 last Prince Albert was officially declared successor to King Leopold as sovereign of the Congo Independent State and is a member of the Belgian senate.

MORTALLY WOUND SHEEP HERDERS

Masked Men Ambush Three and Leave Them Bound Hand and Foot on Prairie

By Associated Press. MONTROSE, Colo., April 25.—While on their way to the sheep range with a large herd from Frisco, Utah, three herders, Grover Cornett, Peter Swanson and A. Swanson, were set upon by seven masked men near Whitewater, Colo., fifteen miles west of here.

News of the shooting has stirred the cattlemen and sheep owners of this section to high indignation and a diligent search for the perpetrators of the outrage is being prosecuted.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL SCORES IN BOTH LEAGUES

Table with columns for National and American leagues, listing teams and scores.

GREENE TO EXTEND HIS RAILROAD TO THE COAST

By Associated Press. EL PASO, Texas, April 25.—J. P. Hallihan, chief engineer for the Sierra Madre railroad, today announced that Colonel W. C. Greene has ordered the road extended from Casas Grandes, the present terminus, to the Mexican Pacific coast.

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JAMESTOWN SHOW COMMENCES TODAY

President Roosevelt Will Press Gold Button to Start the Big Exposition in Virginia.

FORMAL OPENING AN INTERNATIONAL EVENT

Ships of Foreign Navies Arrive at Hampton Roads to Take Part in the Ceremonies—Roosevelt Leaves Last Night

By Associated Press. NORFOLK, Va., April 25.—With the president as guest and with diplomatic and military officials from all the more important nations formed in attendance, the Jamestown exposition will be thrown open to the public tomorrow.

Details of the program on land and water have all been carefully worked out. The exposition management is looking forward to the opening as a notable epoch in the history of Tide Water Virginia.

By Associated Press. Today witnessed the arrival of the most formidable of the visiting warship squadrons. The Austrian ships Sancte George and Aspern and the British cruiser squadron composed of the Good Hope, Argyl, Hampshire and the Roxbury passed in the capes within a few hours of each other.

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FAST RACES ON THE MIAMI TRACK

San Angelo Horse Defeats Jeff Dunegan's Animal for a \$500 Purse

Races on the Miami track yesterday drew a crowd of about three hundred people.

Quarter-mile race for \$500 a side between Billy Bartlett, a horse owned by Mr. Winn of San Angelo, Texas, and Bull Maverick, owned by Jeff Dunegan of Clifton, Ariz., was won by the former by a scant length.

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CANAEA MINING MAN MYSTERIOUSLY ABSENT

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WILL INVESTIGATE UNJUST DISCRIMINATION

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the library. It is claimed by the watchmen that the marines were detected in the act of flirting, while the men charge that they were ejected because they were in uniform.

WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC TO ISSUE NEW STOCK

By Associated Press. PITTSBURG, Pa., April 25.—Announcement was made today that the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing company is to issue \$5,000,000 of new stock.

THREE INCHES OF RAIN FALLS IN NEW ORLEANS

By Associated Press. NEW ORLEANS, La., April 25.—A torrential rain flooded many sections of New Orleans today and the heavy downpour continued tonight.

STOLE MORE THAN AT FIRST THOUGHT

Douglas Stole Bonds Worth More than \$400,000—Boston Lawyer Suspected

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, April 25.—The World tomorrow will say: "It was learned yesterday that the amount of bonds stolen from the Trust Company of America by William C. Douglas, the assistant loan clerk, was in excess of \$400,000.

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, April 25.—That a prominent Boston lawyer is to figure in the further proceedings in connection with the arrest of W. O. Douglas and O. M. Dennett, charged with the theft of bonds from the Trust Company of America, was persistently reported in Wall street today.

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MOB OF NEGROES TRIES TO LYNCH

Unsuccessful Attempt Made in Kansas Town to Take Train Robber from Officer.

BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS, PUTS BAN ON NEGROES

Following Killing of Officers, all Colored Citizens Warned to Leave—Negro Attacks Girl with Razor at Alton.

Warn Negroes to Leave

By Associated Press. BIG SPRINGS, Texas, April 25.—While assisting in the arrest of several negroes late last night Deputy Marshal James Burke was killed. Following the killing of Burke citizens assembled at a mass meeting today and notified all the negroes who are without property in town to leave at once.

Attacks Young Girl

ALTON, Ill., April 25.—A posse of citizens in pursuit of a negro who tonight attacked Miss Violet Spencer, the 18-year-old daughter of Thomas F. Spencer, on a street here with a razor.

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