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## CIVILIANS CLASH WITH U. S. SOLDIERS

### SENSATIONAL CHARGES MADE BY ATTORNEY IN ALLEGED KIDNAPING

ALLEGED ABDUCTION CASE OF MARJORIE REIMANN BEGINS IN SUPERIOR COURT THIS MORNING — COURTROOM CROWDED WITH EAGER AUDIENCE.

Before a courtroom filled with an eager audience, including many women, attorneys for Mrs. Lizzie Magnuson today opened the case in which the plaintiff expects to secure judgment for \$40,000 damages for the alleged kidnaping of her daughter in 1911. Those named as defendants are: Bishop Edward J. O'Dea, of the diocese of Nisqually; the Rev. Fr. George C. Van Goethen, formerly in charge of the Academy of the Visitation; Attorney Louis I. Lefebvre of Tacoma; Mother Superior Camillus, and Sister Aloysius. Both the latter were connected with the academy at the time of the alleged kidnaping.

The defendants have filed a denial of all allegations named in the complaint. Mrs. Magnuson, her gray hair half concealed beneath a modest bonnet, sat by the side of her daughter Marjorie, who will be the most important person connected with the case. The girl is but 14 years old, and pretty. She wears a neat dress of blue silk.

Attorney Frank P. Kelly, in laying the case before the jury, which includes two women, and which it took all day yesterday to select, this morning said:

"We will attempt to show that while Mrs. Magnuson was in Alaska she placed her little daughter in the Academy of the Visitation that she might receive the care and attention which it was impossible for the mother to give while she looked after her large business interests in the north.

"We will try to prove that Marjorie was induced to leave her mother through the efforts of Mother Camillus and Sister Aloysius, and that finally she began writing letters to her mother which caused Mrs. Magnuson such alarm that she attempted to take her daughter out of their hands.

This, we allege, she was unable to do, both women prevailing upon the girl to run away.

"Further, we will try to show that the girl did run away, while at a theater in Seattle, coming to Tacoma and directly to Father Van Goethen, who took her to the home of Louis Lefebvre, where she was sequestered for 10 days.

"Later, we will show if possible, she was spirited away to Portland and then to San Francisco by Father Van Goethen, who had disguised himself.

"During this time the mother searched high and low to find her daughter, making frequent visits to Father Van Goethen, who, we alleged, told her he knew nothing of the whereabouts of her daughter. Mrs. Magnuson finally returned to Alaska heartbroken and placed her business in such shape that she might complete her search for the girl.

"Attorney Lefebvre finally was forced by the court to give information which led to her being located in San Francisco. Mrs. Magnuson, we will show, was given notice by Father Van Goethen that if she would sign papers releasing himself and others named as defendants, she would be allowed to see her daughter and that the girl would be given back to her in case Marjorie wished to go."

Father Van Goethen sat through this morning's session an interested listener.

### TURKS MOBILIZE THEIR ARMY

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 12.—The war ministry today ordered 15 divisions of army reserves to mobilize. Turkish government officials consider that war with Bulgaria is on, although it has not been formally declared.

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### WILSON WOULD STAMP OUT TARIFF

(By United Press Leased Wire.) SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 12.—Received with the greatest enthusiasm Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, democratic candidate for the presidency, addressed 11,000 persons at the state fair here today. He said in part:

"The tariff is a malignant growth which requires a surgical operation. If I am the surgeon I must perform the operation. I will not touch any healthy tissue but I will cut the deadly thing out and save your lives.

"The man who says, 'Let the trusts stay as they are,' declines to attack the center of our social and political trouble. If he does not propose to operate he is not a surgeon, but a quack. And don't let a quack disturb you."

### TO DROP CASE AGAINST GILLIES

Because the evidence the state has been gathering against A. P. Gillies, promoter, with offices in the National Realty building, was given out yesterday before sufficient evidence had been gained to place the man in custody, the case will rest for a time, according to Assistant Prosecutor Geo. M. Thompson's statement today.

Gillies, it is said, through an advertisement for a stenographer, was luring young girls to his room. Detective Smith, according to the story, found Gillies with a girl in a room in the Colonial hotel yesterday. The girl stated, if the officers' story is true, that Gillies had kissed her and acted familiarly in other ways towards her while at the hotel. The girl and her sister, both of whom came here from McNells Island in search of work, have been turned over to the Y. W. C. A.

### SUES AUTOIST FOR \$5,000

Frank E. Jeffries, vice president of the Tacoma Paper & Stationery company, is named defendant, and Stonewall J. Maxwell, prominent realty dealer of this city, plaintiff, in a suit to recover \$5,000 damages, filed today with the county clerk.

Maxwell alleges that on May 17, while stepping from a Point Defiance car at North 21st st., he was run down by Jeffries, who was driving his car at a speed greater than that allowed by ordinance. He complains that he suffered permanent injury to nervous system, and was bruised and cut about the arms, legs, head and eyes.

### MOTOR BOAT CO. IS INSOLVENT

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Receivers were appointed in the federal district court here today for the United States Motor Boat company on allegations of insolvency by the Browne-Share Manufacturing company of Providence, R. I., and other creditors who declared the company was unable to meet its obligations. W. L. Roberts and Robert Walker, appointed receivers, were directed to investigate the motor boat company's affairs and to report on October 23.

### THE TRAGEDIES OF CHILDHOOD

WHEN PA SITS DOWN ON THE CARPET TACK YOU HAD SO CAREFULLY PLANNED FOR YOUR BROTHER. THE MAIN TRAGEDY IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWS.



### BRYAN COMING ON TRAIL OF TEDDY

NEBRASKAN TO FOLLOW ROOSEVELT WEST — WILL PAY HIS OWN EXPENSES ON LONG TRIP.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Acting on his own initiative, William J. Bryan wired the democratic national committee here today that he would start Saturday on a campaigning trip for Governor Woodrow Wilson that would carry him over the trail blazed by Theodore Roosevelt in his jaunt through western states for progressive converts. Wilson's campaign managers are elated over the Nebraska telegram, believing that Bryan's oratorical efforts and arguments will offset any effect that Roosevelt's trip may have had.

Starting at Denver next Monday, Bryan will speak at every point where Colonel Roosevelt has spoken or is to speak, including points in Colorado, Utah, Montana, Oregon, Washington, California and Nevada. Bryan's trip will keep him busy until October 2, when he plans to return to Lincoln for several days of rest.

In his telegram to Wilson's managers, Bryan announced that he would pay his own expenses and that he had cancelled all lecture engagements.

### WOMAN HEAD OF SMUGGLING GANG

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 12.—Although a prisoner in the county jail here on a smuggling charge, Mrs. Ethel Hall, alleged head of the most successful gang of Chinese smugglers, has fostered a second plot from her cell, according to immigration officers. Four Chinese are under arrest in San Francisco, following the discovery of the alleged plots.

### WEALTHY MERCHANT AND WIFE FULFILL SUICIDE PACT

WALLACE, Ida., Sept. 2.—As the result of a murder and suicide pact, Charles Keil, 74, formerly a wealthy merchant of Minneapolis, Minn., and his aged wife, Fredericka Keil, are dead in their isolated mountain cabin near Murray, Ida., today. Keil put two bullets through his wife's brain, then took his own life after the old couple had come to the conclusion they had been abandoned by their sons, A. F. Keil and Charles Hyle, wealthy broom manufacturers of Portland, Ore.

### CARD AND CHAPMAN MAY BE ALREADY ELECTED

According to the figures thus far compiled at the county auditor's office and the interpretation given the primary law both Judge Card and Judge Chapman have been as good as elected in the primaries.

With this view of it Sorley and Leaders will be eliminated in the finals and the fight will be between Clifford, Festerday, Arntson and McMurray.

Lawyers say the statute provides if a judge gets a majority of all the votes cast he will not have to contest again but that his name shall go on the final ballot by itself without opposition. On the face of the returns it appears that Card has about 1,045 more than a majority and Chapman has over 600. Clifford, too, is close to the mark and may squeeze through if this theory of the situation holds and this would reduce the final conflict to Easterday and Arntson.

### COINER TO MEET 1ST GRAND JURY

Subpoenas are being sent out by the federal court today for witnesses for the new grand jury which will assemble here next Monday. Some important cases are to come up before the coming session which will be the first one presided over by B. W. Coiner. Coiner went to Seattle this morning and will probably settle the matter of his deputies while there.

The Tacoma men on the grand jury are Harry Ball, J. C. Bassett, Oscar G. Brydolf, Otto Duevel, H. M. Heard, A. Odemark, J. B. Kean, J. W. Wood.

### IN SHADOW OF GALLOWS, KNITS BEAUTIFUL SCARF

During the endless hours of his confinement in the county jail, the shadow of the gallows falling across his cell, Murderer Charles Newcomb has knitted a beautiful theater scarf of pure white wool. Newcomb is awaiting the appeal of his case to the United States supreme court. He has been convicted of the murder of the husband of Mrs. Martina Kvalshaug.

### TWO RECEIVE CUTS IN BIG WRECK

Work of cleaning up the wreck of southbound local passenger train No. 361, O-W R. & N. company, has begun today, and the 25 persons who were injured, none seriously however, have been cared for.

The train jumped the track four miles west of Winlock at 3:35 p. m. yesterday. Mrs. S. L. McLean of Seattle and a man from Portland were the two most painfully injured, the rest having only superficial cuts and bruises.

The engine tender left the track either because of a spread rail or defective flange taking the mail and baggage cars and three day coaches with it. The first coach rolled over twice before reaching the bottom of a 40-foot embankment. It was in this car that the persons were injured, the other coaches remaining at the top on their sides.

Owing to the fact that the cars were steel constructed, no fatalities occurred.

### BRIDE COULDN'T SAVE HUSBAND

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 12.—Although she possesses in her own name nearly \$100,000, the bride of Lloyd Knapp, a young electrical engineer, was powerless to save him from an exacting justice and Knapp must spend 12 months in San Quentin penitentiary.

Knapp was convicted of uttering spurious paper to provide funds for dinners at popular cafes with which to woo the girl who became his wife. In passing sentence Judge McCormick scathingly scored the prisoner. Mrs. Knapp declares she will stand by her erring husband.

### AMERICAN MAY BE SUCCESSOR

(By United Press Leased Wire.) VIENNA, Sept. 12.—The death of Cardinal Coultou of France was the most important topic discussed by thousands of delegates here today in attendance at the Eucharistic congress. Inasmuch as there are now nine vacancies in the Sacred college, it is the consensus of opinion that the elevation of another American cardinal has become a practical certainty.

### BALDWIN CHOICE OF DEMOCRATS

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 12.—An enthusiastic demonstration marked the nomination of Simon E. Baldwin for governor of Connecticut by the democratic state convention here today. At the Baltimore national convention Baldwin was mentioned as one of the possible candidates for president, but his boom failed to materialize.

### CITY TO INSPECT POWER TUNNEL

Next Thursday the city council will go in a body and inspect the tunnel for the Nisqually power plant which is now finished. Following their inspection the tunnel will be closed up and connected with the big pipe to the reservoir and it will be practically ready then to turn water in and start the machinery which is already in place.

In 30 days more the big Nisqually plant is expected to be in operation and Tacoma will be making her own electric light and power.

AVIATOR DROWNS (By United Press Leased Wire.) ATHENS, Sept. 12.—While flying near Patras Viator Karamanlakis fell into the Aegean sea and was drowned.

The wrap, representing hours of patient toil in the solitude of his cell, is today in possession of the sheriff's office where it is on raffle, the money obtained to be turned over to the condemned man. It will bring \$2.50.

### GIBSON ARRESTED THIS MORNING — SAYS HE CAN PROVE INNOCENCE

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Bodily proclaiming his innocence and asserting that he is a victim of circumstances which he can explain, Attorney Burton L. Gibson was arrested here today and formally charged with the murder of Mrs. Rosa Menschik Szabo, a pretty Austrian who died while boating with Gibson at Greenwood lake, New York, about a month ago.

Returning to New York Gibson explained that Mrs. Szabo met death by drowning, and that a minister, whose name has not been disclosed, struggled desperately to save her life. Suspicion when he produced a will showing that Mrs. Szabo had left her entire \$100,000 estate to him. Austrian authorities here interested themselves in the case, the body was exhumed and an autopsy performed. This showed conclusively that Mrs. Szabo died from strangulation and not from drowning.

### IN THE PUBLIC EYE



Brigadier General W. S. Schayler, U. S. A., commander of the department of California, who was recently sent to the Mexican border by the war department to keep an eye on the situation there and see that Americans were sufficiently protected.

### PANTAGES MAKING BIG PLANS FOR CHILDREN

Manager Timmons of Pantages theater says he is getting things ready for the school children's matinee by having his actors make their acts especially attractive to those who will be in the audience. Anything that the best mother might think objectionable will be eliminated and the affair is to be one solely to amuse. Everybody at Pantages is looking forward to a great day, next Saturday. Here's the coupon. Cut it out and save it with two others; three being enough to admit one child.

### DOUGLAS, ARIZ. IS SCENE OF RUMPUS

OFFICERS DISARM TROOPERS — MORE TROUBLE FEARED — SOLDIERS FORCE POLICEMEN TO FLEE.

(BULLETIN.) DOUGLAS, Ariz., Sept. 12.—Following a clash between the civil authorities and 50 negro cavalrymen stationed here, shortly after noon today, the troopers have been disarmed by their officers. Grave trouble is feared. The negroes invaded the tenderloin section of the city, kicking down doors they found locked. Halted by three policemen, the negroes drew their revolvers and the police were compelled to flee.

Several other clashes in the streets have been reported. Couriers dispatched to Col. Begne by scouts who are retreating before the advance of the rebels under Rojas arrived at Agua Prieta shortly after noon, bringing word that the rebels are advancing in a solid body and are within three hours' march of the border.

NOGALES, Ariz., Sept. 12.—After holding up the southbound Sonora railroad passenger trains that left Nogales last evening, a detachment of General Campa's Mexican rebels cut out the engine and three coaches, proceeded southward burning bridges behind them, finally ditching the locomotive and baggage cars 75 miles south of the border, according to refugees who arrived here today.

The attack on the train was made 30 miles south of Nogales. None of the passengers was molested but all lost their baggage.

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 12.—"If the Americans invade Mexico I will join force with the federalists to drive them out," is the statement of refugees arriving here from the south today declare General Campa made to them after he had held up and plundered a train yesterday near Nogales. None of the passengers on the train were injured, the rebels seeking only arms.

### MUST ANSWER SERIOUS CHARGE

As the outcome of a gleeful party that occurred on the evening of June 30, in a roadhouse on the old military road a mile this side of Spanaway, Effie E. Harty, alleged proprietress of the house, is on trial today in Judge Chapman's court, charged with selling liquor without a license. She appealed her case from Judge Arntson's court and has been out of jail on \$250 bonds since that time.

### FORGED BY USING MARK

George Daniel, a negro, who was charged with forging a check for \$15 on the Anacortes Bank of Commerce, although he cannot write his own name, is today awaiting sentence from Judge Chapman, having been found guilty of the offense yesterday. Daniel, it was found, signed the fraudulent check by placing his "mark" upon it.

CHRISTIANIA, Sept. 12.—Norwegian scientists are skeptical today over Prof. Stefansson's reported discovery of white. Both scientists are agreed that the report needs further elucidation to be convincing.

### There Is Much News Value in the Advertising Columns

The reading of the store news today in the Times will guide you to the best offers in Tacoma. You will find good news for the clothing buyer, good news for the grocery buyer, good news for the furniture buyer. No matter what you need, it will pay you to read the merchants' offers in The Times every day.

### ADMIT ONE TIMES SCHOOLCHILD PANTAGES THEATER SEPT. 14.