

Story of Human Fiends is Coming Out

Lincoln Center, Kan., Nov. 21—How the Shady Bend "tar" party met at the mill of E. G. Clark, one of the wealthiest citizens of the community, and arranged the details of the plot to tar Miss Mary Chamberlain, the school teacher, whose frightful experience last August, shook the whole United States with indignation, and stamped the perpetrators as human monsters, was told on the witness stand today, by Chester Anderson, who was a member of the party.

County Attorney McCandless, in his opening statement told the entire story of the tarring. He said that the plot was laid on August 7, and that Edward Record, a barber, was hired to take Miss Chamberlain out in a buggy on the pretense of escorting her to a dance, and then deliver her to the men with tar, who were in hiding.

"They held up the buggy at point of pistols," said the attorney. "They took the young woman from the buggy and threw her on the ground. They tore off her clothing, and while one poured the black mess, another spread it over her body. All the men wore masks. They were human monsters attacking a poor lone girl."

Anderson did not participate in the actual assault, as he went on foot to the scene of the outrage, while the others went on motorcycles and in other vehicles. He was recently sentenced to ninety days for his share in the assault.

Miss Chamberlain is 26 years of age and possesses a pretty face as well as form. Her manner toward every one is pleasing, and it is that quality that caused the school teacher to undergo indignities at the hands of the men fiends she formerly supposed were friends.

When the school at Beverley, her home closed last summer, Miss Chamberlain went to Shady Bend to clerk. She was a competent clerk, and being naturally of a sunny disposition she could not help talking or "pollyng" with customers.

One of these customers was a married man who seemed infatuated with Miss Chamberlain's smile. At any rate, he spent considerable time at the store and soon his wife learned of his actions. The matron became jealous and quickly aroused the jealousy of other married women and at a "mother's meeting" one afternoon they plotted and planned the disgrace of the pretty school teacher.

On August 7, last, there was held at the Lower Twelve Mile school house, three miles from Shady Bend, a meeting of women who felt that they had a grievance against the pretty school teacher. The meeting was also attended by men, among them, Edward Record, a barber, living at Beverley.

He was chosen as the Judas to betray Miss Chamberlain.

Miss Chamberlain was not to attend the dance, that, it is believed, having been arranged before hand, and when Record asked her to accompany him she declined, as she had received no regular invitation.

Record left the house and later returned and told Miss Chamberlain that the young ladies at the dance had sent him back after her. This story sounded plausible, and Miss Chamberlain decided to go with him.

According to the girl's friends, and they are a majority of the populace, it was the plan of the mob to follow Record and the girl, and to meet them at a given point outside the city limits.

The men followed, but they failed to keep up, and when Record drove past the spot no one was there. Realizing that he was ahead of time Record decided to go back. As he could not think of any excuse for so doing, he began acting improperly toward Miss Chamberlain, which caused her to demand to be taken home. Record is said to have stated in his confession that her command to be taken home was what he wanted her to do.

When the buggy approached the spot on the way back to Shady Bend, nearly a dozen figures sprang into the road. While one masked man held the horse three others dragged the young lady from the vehicle. In the meantime Record ran into the weeds near by.

Miss Chamberlain gave one long scream for help, and after that she seemed to realize that resistance was

futile, for she made no further outcry.

While two masked men held her arms, another man removed her clothes. Several other figures then smeared tar upon the young woman's body. The crowd then dispersed, some going one way and some another.

The young woman was left out alone in the woods, with no clothing except the rags of what had been her clothing and this she pieced together and made her way to the home of a friend where she was cared for.

County Attorney McCandless and Sheriff Stewart C. Wolford were immediately notified and started an inquiry.

Record was arrested. At first he asserted his innocence, but later made a confession, in which he told of his connection with the matter and also furnished the authorities with a full list of everybody present.

It is said that the authorities have been threatened with political death if they persisted in their prosecution, but they appear to be men first and have gone after everybody connected with the most disgraceful affair that ever stained the court calendar of any court in the United States.

Miss Chamberlain has received more than 400 letters, since the affair, from prominent men and women throughout the United States, offering financial assistance in the prosecution of her assailants. Each offer has been courteously declined by Miss Chamberlain and her father, Joseph C. Chamberlain, a prominent citizen of Beverley. Some of the letters contained sums of money ranging from \$1 to \$50.

Great Race Costs Mechanic His Hand

Charley Illingworth, mechanic for Charles Bigelow, of the Lexington racing car, is in the Pacific hospital, Los Angeles, in a very critical condition, as the result of injuries received on the recent Los Angeles to Phoenix road race.

His right wrist was broken by a "kick back" while cranking the Lexington racer near Ehrenburg on the return trip. Illingworth failed to pay proper attention to his injury and blood poisoning developed. Wednesday, it was found necessary to amputate his right hand to arrest its progress.

Illingworth was formerly a racing partner of Harold Stone in the Vanderbilt cup race, and was employed in Los Angeles by A. M. Young, of the Grundy Motor Sales company.

Bad Case Screw Worms

(From Tuesday's Examiner)
Joe Woods, who has been under the care of Dr. Henri ApJohn for several days, suffering with an awful attack of screw worms, has been cured and sent back home.

The man came down here several days ago from Palo Verde. The worms had an awful start on his face and nose and by the time he got here, Dr. ApJohn almost despaired of saving him.

Indians Bound Over

(From Tuesday's Examiner)
Two of the Indians who figured in the shooting at the circus grounds on Sunday afternoon, were given a preliminary hearing before Judge J. C. Jones this morning and were bound over to await the action of the next grand jury in the sum of \$500 each. Not being able to give bail they were remanded to jail.

The Indian who was shot is getting along nicely and will no doubt recover.

Already Broken

(From Tuesday's Examiner)
Cameron buttons cannot break the Democratic column this year, thank you.—Arizona Democrat.

Don't have to, Brother Dunbar, the Democratic column was broken when it was nominated.

And if we mistake not, the Democrat helped do the breaking.

Married In Los Angeles

(From Tuesday's Examiner)
A letter received by the Examiner to-day states that Jas. W. Fuquay was married to Mrs. Lidy Dawson in Los Angeles, Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p. m. The marriage ceremony was solemnized by Rev. James Whitecomb Brougner, D. D., of the Temple Baptist church, Los Angeles, and the ceremony took place at the Los Angeles home of L. E. Karr, of Karr, Kester & Speese, of Yuma.

There were only a few friends and relatives present, and the happy couple expect to spend a few days along the coast before returning to Yuma, where they will make their future home.

Mr. Fuquay has a host of friends here and in the valley and they will be on the job when it comes to welcoming the happy couple back to Yuma.

They will probably be in Yuma before the end of the week as Mr. Fuquay is the popular candidate for superintendent of roads, and now that he is safely married, his friends are doubly anxious to see him elected.

The first news of the wedding was sent to Yuma in the form of a telegram from Mr. Fuquay to Bert Pearson, and published in yesterday afternoon's Examiner, but at that time it was not known who the lady was.

The Examiner joins their hosts of friends in wishing them all the luck and prosperity possible.

George Michelsen Will Receive a Check

(From Tuesday's Examiner)
As everybody knows, George Michelsen is the territorial secretary of the Democratic central committee.

Everybody also knows that George is usually looking for cash.

Also, if it wasn't for his political complexion and the crowd, he has been forced to associate with, George would be a pretty good citizen.

Now, therefore, here is a story: George is on the job over in Phoenix. Incidentally George is still looking for money.

Along with his job as secretary, he caused to be issued a circular letter which same is being sent out over the territory to all Democrats asking for donations to the campaign fund in any sum they may see fit to remit.

The letter states that this money is to be used for legitimate purposes only.

In sending out these letters George did not overlook any of his personal friends, and one friend of his received one of the letters last night and very promptly made out a check which he pinned to George's letter and returned to him.

But alas this is the check:
No. 13131.

Pay to the order of George Michelsen, Chairman Democratic Central Committee, all the best wishes possible, but no coin."

P. S.—For Legitimate purposes only."

George's face when he gets that check will probably be worth having a photograph of.

Jesunofsky Leaves The Weather Job

Jesunofsky has "enoughsky" according to yesterday afternoon's Arizona Democrat.

Anyhow Jesunofsky has been with the weather bureau for the past 37 years, and for the past several years has had charge of the weather bureau at Phoenix, and in that time if there is a printer or editor in Arizona who has not cussed when he got the name, dependent knoweth him nct.

But anyhow, Mr. Jesunofsky has grown gray in observing the weather in Arizona and other states, and although he is as enthusiastic as ever about the work, he has decided that the time has come for him to retire.

He will retire to a ranch he owns near Phoenix.

Mrs. Alice Harlow has returned to Yuma after an absence of several months.

Chairman Birdno Dines Delegate Cameron

Globe, Ariz., November 20—The meetings held by the Republican congressional ticket last night in this city were record breakers so far as size of audiences and enthusiasm displayed are concerned.

A great crowd met Messrs. Cameron, Smith, Williams, Mauk and DePass at the train with a band and an abundance of red fire and escorted them to the Dominion hotel where an informal reception was held.

The Marlin theatre which had been engaged for the public meeting was crowded to capacity, but those who could not get in were talked to from the band stand in front of the court house.

Judging from the warmth of the reception accorded them, Gila county will show up well in the Republican column on election day.

One of the peculiar incidents of the campaign made by the congressional candidates in Graham county, showing that in the heat of political strife, the amenities are not always lost sight of, is that upon their arrival at Safford, the home of John J. Birdno, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, they were entertained at a chicken dinner by that gentleman.

Mr. Birdno and Mr. Cameron have been life long friends, and for the moment politics were forgotten in order that the bonds of personal friendship might be renewed and strengthened.

Executive Department
Office of the Governor

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

In recognition of the manifold blessings granted us during the year, and especially for the gift of statehood, which awaits our acceptance, and in conformity with the recommendation and request of the President of the United States, I, RICHARD E. SLOAN, Governor of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby appoint Thursday, the 30th day of November, A. D., nineteen hundred and eleven, as a day of Thanksgiving, and do request that the people of the Territory observe it as such, each in his own way, and according to his teaching and belief, rendering thanks to Almighty God, "the giver of every good and perfect gift."

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory of Arizona to be affixed.

(Seal) Done at the City of Phoenix, the capital, this sixteenth day of November, A. D., nineteen hundred and eleven.

RICHARD E. SLOAN,
By the Governor,

GEO. U. YOUNG,
Secretary of Arizona.

Supervisor Marvin Files His Papers

(From Wednesday's Examiner)
As was stated several weeks ago exclusively in the Examiner, Supervisor W. E. Marvin is an independent candidate for the office of superior court clerk against ex-boss DeVane of the Democratic party.

Mr. Marvin filed his papers with P. J. Miller, clerk of the board of supervisors yesterday afternoon.

The Democrats seem to be behind Mr. Marvin, or at least a majority of them, and the idea seems to be to bury DeVane so deep that he will not know what hit him on December 12.

Of course, it also disrupts the Democrats more than they were disrupted over the Michelsen-Winsor-DeVane fight for control of the party, when DeVane and Winsor were deposed as party bosses.

This three cornered fight, will of course, be pie for Earl B. Smith, the Republican candidate, but at the same time, it will enable the Democrats who are honing for DeVane's scalp to get square for the past.

Oh, yes, as Grandma Sun remarked the other morning, HARMONY with a big "H" reigns in the Democratic party this year.

New Magazines at Shorey's.

Not Empty Promises

Some of the Democratic papers are still sneering at Ralph Cameron, and, although it is only done for effect and although the Democratic press has tried hard to find something to say against him, they have only been able to say that he is a stand-patter, etc.

Ralph Cameron is a live wire. He is a constructive statesman. He has an engaging personality that gets him what he goes after, and he has done so much more for Arizona in three years than Marcus Aurelius Smith was able to do in twenty years, that consequently the only thing the Democrats are able to think of, is that Ralph Cameron is unprogressive.

The Democrats know that he is more progressive than Smith ever dared be, but that is all the yell they can think of.

But it won't do.

Ralph Cameron was elected three years ago in the face of a great Democratic majority, with the distinct promise that he get statehood.

The enabling act was passed.

Cameron, handicapped by poverty, the candidate of a party, at that time rent asunder by internecine strife, and as moneyless as he, realizing that the material development of Arizona and the prosperity of her people depended in a great measure upon her admission to the union, something she had been striving for for a quarter of a century to do, entered into the campaign with a pledge that if elected, he would secure statehood during his first term, or he would retire to private life, giving way to a better man.

On that issue he was elected. He took office March 4, 1909. He found congress tired of the talk of statehood for Arizona. The joint statehood bill had been so violently discussed that its defeat had left many sore spots. Cameron sought these out and soothed them. He studied his colleagues and pleaded the cause of Arizona so eloquently that he made friends among them rapidly—so rapidly that on July 15, four months and eleven days after taking his oath of office, he felt encouraged to introduce the bill which eventually formed the basis of the enabling act, after which the constitutional convention was called and which gave us statehood.

He made good. He secured the passage of the enabling act, which made possible the calling of a constitutional convention and the adoption of the constitution.

Conscious of a lurking feeling of animosity toward Arizona in the minds of some, knowing that jealousy of prerogatives would cause advantage to be taken of trivial things to delay the bringing about of Arizona's hopes, he urged the constitution makers to be wary of innovations.

His advice was disregarded, the innovations were incorporated in the fundamental law, the delays he feared were brought about, but undismayed he fought on, until finally two years and a few days after the introduction of his original statehood bill, he saw the fruition of his hopes in the approval by the president of the Smith-Flood resolution subject to conditions which will be carried out at the polls on December 12, next.

Cameron has won the right to ask that the people of Arizona send him as one of the representatives to which the state is entitled in the United States senate.

He has made good. He has redeemed the pledge he made when he was elected as a delegate to congress.

"Howdy, Pap"

(From Wednesday's Examiner)
"Howdy, Pap," will be about all one will hear on the streets of Yuma tomorrow, after the Loyal Order of Moose organize at the A. O. U. W. hall this evening at 8:00 p. m.

The Moose are starting off with a big membership and no lodge in Yuma has a brighter outlook.

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