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Pole-Carew's Niece, Wedded Violin Player: Mistake Shows Secret



MRS. SIMON LEO PINNA,
Formerly Miss Sybil Carew, Whose Marriage Was Revealed by a Misdirected Telegram.

Saw Musician at Theater and Went on Stage to Be Near Him.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Through a misdirected telegram a romance reminiscent of those of Gretna Green has been discovered in the life of Miss Sybil Carew, of England. Simon Leo Pinna, first violin in the Victor Herbert Orchestra, is the other principal.

The niece of the distinguished general has been Mrs. Simon Leo Pinna since June, but had her sister not received a telegram intended for the bride the pair would not have announced their marriage until December.

Saw Him at Theater.

The romance began last fall, when Miss Carew first saw Pinna. She was at a theater where the violinist was playing, and she watched him intently during the performance. Pinna saw the young girl, and perhaps his playing was better after that.

Miss Carew suddenly determined that she should go on the stage. Her friends and family objected, but she had a will of her own and she obtained a part in the company with which Pinna was traveling. The two met, and it was the old, old story of love at first sight.

Dodged Family Objections.

In June Pinna proposed marriage. The girl knew that her family would protest, as they were violently opposed to her having anything to do with the stage or its human accessories. So the pair went to the Marble Collegiate Church and were wedded.

Scarcely a month had passed when Pinna, then connected with the Herbert forces, was obliged to go on tour, but the couple promised each other to meet on the 1st of December, when they would announce the union. They corresponded frequently, using great care so that no misadventure might betray their secret. But Miss Carew's sister, through a misdirection, received the telegram intended for the bride, and its contents at once revealed the fact that Sybil was a wife.

THE WEATHER REPORT.

Unsettled showery weather continues east of the Mississippi river, and generally fair weather to the westward, although there were local showers in Texas, Arizona, and Nevada.

Temperatures are generally, though slightly, below the seasonal average, except in the eastern lower lake region and the middle Atlantic States.

Unsettled showery weather will continue tonight and Thursday in the East and South, without temperature changes of consequence.

Steamers departing today for European ports will have fresh east to south-east winds, with showers to the Grand Banks.

TEMPERATURE

9 a. m.	74
12 noon	78
3 p. m.	77
6 p. m.	72

SUN TABLE.

Sun sets today	6:23
Sun rises tomorrow	5:31

TIDE TABLE.

High water today	5:55 p. m.
Low water today	12:15 p. m.
High water tomorrow	6:10 a. m.
Low water tomorrow	12:28 a. m.

HARPERS FERRY, W. Va., Sept. 4.—Potomac cloudy and Shenandoah muddy.

MIDDIES APPEAL CASES

Two of Four Ask
Secretary to Be
Lenient.

Were Accused of Leaving
Academy Without Leave.

Not Likely That Navy
Department Will
Interfere.

Four Midshipmen Now In Disgrace

Joseph Eliot Austin, New York, first class.
George Frederick Humbert, Pennsylvania, third class.
Oscar C. Salb, Indiana, fourth class.
C. C. Riner, Wyoming, fourth class.

Midshipmen Clarence C. Riner, of Cheyenne, Wyo., and O. G. Salb, of Indiana, fourth classmen at the Naval Academy, have appealed to the Secretary of the Navy, not to approve the sentence of dismissal that has been passed upon them by Captain Badger, the superintendent of the academy.

The two men were charged with "Frenching," or, in other words, taking French leave. They went over the walls of the academy grounds, attended a theater party, and afterwards entertained the chorus girls at a late supper. In attempting to return to the academy at an early hour of the morning they were caught.

Set Bad Example.

Superintendent Badger thought it necessary to deal severely with them because of the bad example they set to the younger midshipmen, and he has recommended their dismissal. Under the provisions of a recent law it is required that before the Secretary of the Navy shall dismiss a midshipman on charges he shall call upon the accused for a statement in his own behalf.

Messrs. Riner and Salb, in their responses, say that they do not see why they should be dismissed when other midshipmen, guilty of the same offense as they were, have been charged, have been let off with only fifty demerits against them.

Notwithstanding this plea, it is believed that both the Secretary and the President, to whom the case must go for final action, will approve Captain Badger's recommendation for the purpose of assisting him in maintaining the discipline of the Academy.

Two From Upper Classes.

Two midshipmen of upper classes are also in trouble with probable dismissal starting them in the face. They are George MacDowell, of Pennsylvania, and James E. Austin, of New York. They asked for leave from the practice ship while it was on its cruise.

When it was refused they went anyway, going to Bath, Maine. They also have been called upon for reasons why they should not be dismissed in accordance with Superintendent Badger's recommendation, but their answers have not yet been received at the Navy Department.

President Congratulates Riflemen at Camp Perry

Acting Secretary of the Navy Newberry has received a letter from President Roosevelt requesting him to congratulate, in the President's name, the officers and men who composed the navy rifle teams at the national shooting match at Camp Perry, Ohio, on the excellent records they made. He also extends his congratulations to the midshipmen's team which had never competed before, but which won sixth place out of the forty-eight contestants.

INQUIRY INTO POLICE BEGUN AT CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Declaring that the police department's failure to apprehend the criminals who dynamited former Sheriff James Peas' home and perpetrated four former outrages within the past few weeks, indicates improper conduct, State's Attorney James Healey began an investigation of his own today, terrifying the gambling fraternity, and has stirred the police department from top to bottom.

"If there are those who operate behind the veil of position, and proof of the fact is obtainable, they will be exposed," he says.

Six Bright Chinese Girls And Eleven Youths Arrive On a Visit to Washington



Group of Chinese Visitors in Washington Preparatory to Entering Various Institutions of Education in This Country.

Party, Properly Chaperoned, "Doing" Sightseeing Capital Before Entering Various American Universities and Colleges.

Six bright young women from China and eleven young men yesterday came to the National Capital for a sightseeing trip and to learn American ways, ideals, and professions. The party is from Hankin and will be given an American education at the expense of the provincial government of that place.

Under the chaperonage of Tsootai B. C. Wan and Mrs. Wan, the former a mandarin, the young men and women were escorted on a sightseeing trip which was begun yesterday and the many buildings and points of interest around Washington furnished them with amusement and entertainment for the entire afternoon.

The young women in the party are graduates of missionary and public schools

of China. They are thoroughly alive to the progress of the world and take a keen interest in everything that is going on in the big city. Each of them speaks English fluently and their remarks about the beauties of Washington are much the same as one would hear from a group of American girls on their first visit to the Capital. They were enthusiastic about the view of the city from the Washington Monument and marveled at the Monument itself, declaring they had no such memorials in their own country. It has not yet been determined to which schools the young women will be sent.

Among the eleven young men students there are many who promise to take a conspicuous part in the college life of the institutions to which they will be sent. These students will be sent to Yale, Harvard, Cornell, and Columbia.

WOMAN GAGGED, TIED IN HOUSE, BRUTE'S VICTIM

Police of Anacostia
Seeking White
Man.

Brutally beaten and assaulted by an unidentified white man until she had lost consciousness, and left bound hand and foot and with a gag in her mouth, Mrs. Mary Lanham, forty-five years of age, was found in the basement of her home at Good Hope, D. C., about 1 o'clock this afternoon. Regaining consciousness after about half an hour, Mrs. Lanham managed to free one of her hands, and found an old hammer and a tin can. After beating on the can for some time, she attracted the attention of a man who was passing the place, and who went to her assistance.

Mrs. Lanham went into the basement of her home shortly after 12 o'clock to finish washing some clothes. Almost before she was down the steps the man entered by the rear basement door and grabbed her around the waist. Mrs. Lanham struggled, but the man tightened his hold and placed his hand over her mouth.

Grabbing an undershirt from the wash tub, he forced the garment in her mouth and tied it back of her head. The assailant then secured several pieces of rope and bound the woman securely around the ankles and legs, and tied her hands behind her. At this point Mrs. Lanham lost consciousness and it is thought the assailant was frightened by a passing team, as the police say he did not accomplish his purpose.

The reserves of the Fifth precinct and the Anacostia station, under command of Captain Mathews, went immediately to the scene of the assault. News of the attack spread rapidly throughout the surrounding country and posses were formed to scour the woods in the vicinity. Several officers from the Anacostia office were sent to Good Hope Hill, and everything is being done by the police to apprehend the brute. Feeling among the residents is running high, and it is feared that if the assailant is caught by any of the posses he will be the victim of mob violence.

SEVEN KILLED; SCORE INJURED BY LIGHTNING

Men Who Seek Shelter
From Storm Are Victims of Disaster.

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 4.—Wires still being down, it has been difficult to get particulars of the catastrophe at Buckhorn, Chatham county, at the Phoenix Construction Company's plant late last night.

At the offices of the company in this city no particulars had been learned up to noon. But it is now definitely ascertained that seven men were killed and about twenty injured. No names are yet ascertained.

The men were killed in the cement house, which was some distance from the main plant. The cement building was struck by lightning and all the men killed were in that building, where they had assembled, presumably, to seek shelter from the storm.

It is thought nearly all were employees of the construction company.

GREAT NORTHERN PLANS TO BUY SMALL LINES

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—At the coming meeting of the Great Northern railway stockholders, October 10, for which a call has been issued, the stockholders will be asked to sanction a plan for the Great Northern acquiring direct ownership of its subsidiary lines, instead of exercising control, as at present, through the ownership of the stocks. The properties are to be acquired subject to existing lines.

Sunday Times Question No. 8: What Is the Best Washington Joke?

Five Dollars for the Best Answer
Address The Editor of The Sunday Times

MESSAGE NEARLY READY

President Will Have it
Finished Before
Sept. 25.

The Document Will Be
Longest Ever Sent
to Congress.

Particular Attention to
Corporations and
Railroads.

President Roosevelt has nearly completed his annual message to Congress. It was learned today from a high source that he expects to have this message practically finished by the time he returns to Washington, September 25.

For many nights the President has been working like a Trojan on the speeches he will deliver on his Western trip. He has also been devoting much time to his message, despite stories of his having thrown aside as far as possible all official duties at Oyster Bay.

It is learned that the President's message to Congress next December will be a most remarkable document. The President intends it to be such, and he is taking the utmost pains with it. As long ago as last spring he set on foot inquiries the fruits of which he intended should have to do with the annual message.

Longest Message.

In the first place, the December message will be the longest one the President has written to Congress. This means that it will be the longest of Presidential messages. It will deal with an extremely wide range of subjects, and will include a great deal more than recommendations for Congress to work on the coming winter.

It will be intended as a document which shall map out the party's policy for long in the future. For the 1908 campaign and far beyond that. It will be intended as a setting forth of the constructive statesmanship in which the Republican party should engage through a long series of years. It will be the last message which the President—unless re-elected—will send to a long session of Congress. Some will interpret it as being a document which the President intends shall stand as a historic testimonial to his statesmanlike view of things needed for the good of the nation. Others will look upon it as intended to convince the public mind that Theodore Roosevelt is the man who is needed to be the country's Chief Executive for another four years. At any rate, it is conceded by those who are familiar with the President in mind that he will present to Congress a great program which it will take two years to work out.

One Feature of Document.

One great feature of the message will be its handling of corporation and railroad problems, the industrial end of the document. Stricter control of railroads will be urged, including control of capitalization and physical valuation when necessary in the opinion of the Interstate Commerce Commission. In interstate business will also be recommended.

Much space will be devoted to the need of comprehensive legislation for the conservation of America's natural resources. Under this general head will come public land legislation, reclamation matters, the improvement of inland waterways, legislation regarding minerals on the public lands, and the like. Sociological questions will not escape attention, and the President will no doubt reiterate some of his well-known views in this relation.

It is learned definitely the President will not call for tariff revision at this session of Congress. What he will say on tariff, aside from this, is not known. He will undoubtedly defend the German tariff arrangement, and ask for the passage of the Philippine tariff bill.

Inheritance Tax Question.

He is not expected to urge inheritance tax and income tax legislation except when the time comes for overhauling the revenue laws, which means that these subjects will not be taken up seriously at the coming session or in the Sixtieth Congress. Aside from these matters there will be numerous things to be discussed pertaining to the various departments. The naval program will be an extremely important phase of the message.

There is much wonderment here as to why the President changed his plans and will return here September 25, much earlier than expected. It is understood an important Cabinet meeting will be held September 27. For one thing, the President is said to want to go over his Western speeches with members of Congress, Cabinet members, and others before starting West. He can do this better here than at Oyster Bay.

LOUISVILLE CAR STRIKE EXPECTED IN 48 HOURS

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 4.—Efforts on the part of a committee representing the several commercial bodies of Louisville to avert the threatened street car strike, have failed and it is expected that a walkout will come within the next forty-eight hours.

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