

AN INSURGENCY SPY

Arrest of General Agent of Tabacalera Company.

STRONG EVIDENCE AGAINST HIM

Beligians of Manila and the Bay Lake District Implicated in a Plot to Kill Captain Jones—Provost Marshal.

MANILA, Feb. 20.—At Paganjan, Province of Laguna, yesterday, Lieutenant Vaughn, of the Thirty-seventh Infantry, arrested Fernando Rustan, general agent of the Tabacalera Company, on the charge of having aided the insurgents. Abundant documentary evidence against the prisoner has, it is asserted, been secured. Rustan is a French subject and a close friend of the insurgent general, Cailles, and was to a certain extent associated with D. M. Carman, the American contractor, who was recently taken into custody on charges of having furnished supplies to the insurgents. Tabacalera Company is said to be further incriminated.

It has also been learned that Rustan furnished the insurgents with supplies, information concerning the American troops and their movements, as well as with money. He dealt directly with the rebel general, Cailles, who has been operating continually in the district of Manila.

Many of the discouraged insurgents in the provinces are turning in individually and surrendering their guns. Hilario Rubio, the alleged ringleader in the Macabebe outrages, has been arrested in Manila, for receiving much copra from the insurgents.

At a conference held between the United States Philippine Commission and W. L. Lawshe, the new Auditor of the Philippine Islands, it was decided to establish an office and perfect plans for increased efficiency in the Auditor's Department.

Brigadier-General G. W. Davis will shortly take up the duties of Provost Marshal of Manila, succeeding Brigadier-General J. Franklin Bell, who, as soon as relieved, will proceed overseas to Vigan, and there assume command of the district of Northern Luzon, commanded for over a year by Major-General S. M. B. Young.

MacArthur's Death Report. WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—General MacArthur reported the following deaths since his last report: Dysentery—Third Cavalry, Farrier Edward Canavan; Signal Corps, Elmer Reel; Twenty-seventh Infantry, Corporal Michael McCue; Twenty-fifth Infantry, Corporal Ernest A. Slossaker; Forty-ninth Infantry, William Parness.

Not Responsible for Andre. WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Count Liechtenfeldt, the Belgian Minister, has explained that the Andre represented to be a Belgian agent and reported to have fled from Manila to the Philippines in charge of assisting the rebels, is not a Belgian, nor is he a full-fledged Consul. He was a resident merchant of Manila, and acted as a sole business agent for the Belgian Government, which does not feel that it should be charged with the responsibility for his political actions.

MEMORIALS TO CONGRESS.

Those from Oregon Have Been Presented at Washington. WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Senator Simon has presented to the Senate joint memorial No. 8 of the Oregon Legislature, favoring the passage of a pure food bill by the National Congress.

Canadian Paper Mills Consolidation. NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—A special to the Times from Montreal says: There are prospects of great activity in pulp and paper manufacturing in Canada during the coming season. Smaller companies in the Province of Quebec and Eastern Ontario are to be amalgamated into one large company.

GEILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Verdict of the Jury in the Hamilton Case.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 20.—The jury in the case of Frank H. Hamilton, charged with murdering Leonard R. Day, after 49 hours' deliberation, furnished a genuine surprise this morning by reporting that they agreed upon a verdict of manslaughter in the first degree, with a recommendation to the mercy of the court.

Hamilton was brought into court to hear the verdict. He had enjoyed a good night's sleep and seemed to be in high spirits. When the verdict was read Hamilton appeared dazed, and made no other sign than to shake his head in mute protest. He was remanded to jail to await sentence. The jury also returned a verdict of manslaughter in the second degree against one of the witnesses for the defense, Miss Johnson, of Colorado Springs. The penalty is imprisonment from five to 20 years.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 20.—Starr K. Jackson, clerk at the Hotel Pfister, who was one of the witnesses for the defense in the Hamilton trial, said: "There are two men in Minneapolis who, if they told the truth, could clear Hamilton. Hamilton is no more guilty of that crime than any of the other men who were in the billiard room that night. There is something mysterious about the trial. One of the state witnesses testified that he first met Day a week before his death, while I know positively that the two men lived in the same hotel for five years."

BENT ON LYNCHING.

Officers Foiled a Mob of Railroad Men in Topeka.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 20.—The vigilance of the officers was all that saved "Slick" Slater from lynching by an infuriated mob tonight. He will yet be lynched if he can be found. Slater and his companions, Tal Yum Fu expedition ceased to exist.

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TO PREVENT PETTY SEIZURES.

Object of Ambassador White's Conference with Von Richthofen.

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—The correspondent of the Associated Press understands that the object of the recent conference which Ambassador White had with the German Secretary for Foreign Affairs, the prevention of petty seizures of territory and the obtaining of special privileges in China by separate powers.

NO PROTEST TO THE POWERS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The State Department has not yet found it necessary to protest to any of the European Governments or Japan through their foreign offices, respecting its dissent to the proposed military campaign in China.

PROGRESSES SLOWLY.

Work of Recovering Bodies of Mine Victims.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 20.—The work of recovering the bodies of the victims of the mine disaster at Cumberland, B. C., proceeds slowly. So far eight bodies have been found, four being those of whites.

Work was temporarily suspended in No. 5 shaft today to allow air to displace the fire fumes that are now being pumped into No. 6. It was desired to avoid any possibility of an inrush of air which might result disastrously. It is expected that the cave-in which the rescuers reached No. 6 about 10 o'clock this morning, although some bodies may be buried under the debris.

STRINGENT DECLARATION.

Law and Order League Announces Principles for City Election.

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 20.—Today the Law and Order League of Dallas made public the following declaration of principles for the coming city election: "First—This organization shall be known as the Citizens' Law and Order League, of Dallas, Texas."

CONTRABAND OF WAR.

British Officials Not Alarmed Over Proposed Congressional Inquiry.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The reported determination of the House of Representatives at Washington to inquire into the question whether the United States has broken the treaty of 1817, by permitting the exportation of arms, munitions and other supplies to the British forces in South Africa, created more interest than practical concern in the government departments here.

VARIETY OF PUNISHMENTS

FOREIGN ENVOYS AT PEKIN AGREE TO A COMPROMISE.

Leaders' Sentences to Be Commuted—Strangling, Decapitation and Suicide for Others.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—"At their last meeting," says the Pekin correspondent of the Morning Post, writing yesterday, "the foreign envoys agreed to a compromise. They propose to permit the imperial court to commute the sentences of decapitation in the cases of Prince Tuan, Duke Lan and General Tung Fu Hsiang, to life imprisonment, and will agree to the following punishments:—The sentence of death by strangling, Yu Hsien to be strangled, Chao Shu Chiao and Ying Nien to be permitted to strangle themselves, Chi Hsien and Hsu Cheng Wu to be beheaded, and Wang Hsiang to be executed by hanging. If the above advances no new obstacles, the negotiations on the first point of the demands of the powers may be considered closed."

The court has yielded and consented to the infliction of the punishment demanded, pending, however, that the sentences on Chao Shu Chiao and Ying Nien may be strangled instead of decapitation. To this the foreign envoys have agreed. The question, therefore, is virtually settled, and a salacious report that Tal Yum Fu expedition ceases to exist.

ENDS THE NONSENSE OF LIFE-LONG DOCTORING.

Attention requisite to their cure. It has ended the nonsense of the life-long doctoring for diseases that promptly yield to correct diagnosis, followed by correct treatment.

The famous of the Copeland medical system is based on the two-fold service it has rendered to society. First, in the evolution of more enlightened methods of disease treatment, it has added chronic diarrhea, dizziness, epistaxis, headache, asthma, bronchitis, kidney trouble and ineffectual consumption to the medical list of curable infirmities, while in less virulent ailments it has perceptibly reduced the period of suffering.

Second, the Copeland system has given the public its first lesson in medical economy. By limiting the expense outlay of patients to \$5 a month, medicines included, until cured (and no patient is ever permitted to pay more), it has barred the public eye of the devilish iniquity and cruelty of hoarding the unfortunate sick with preposterous fees.

And, while exposing the boodler in medicine, to the angry suspicion of the world, it saves the invalid from becoming their prey because, if there is no statute law preventing a dishonest doctor from charging a dishonest fee, neither is there law or necessity for the sufferer, with the Copeland system, to become a dupe and pay the fee. He don't have to.

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STEER CLEAR

Steer clear of the boodler in medical practice. Do not stand in awe of the doctor who feels your pulse and then shakes his head in frightful awe over your condition and make you pay 10 times over what his services are worth. The medical profession, like every other profession, has its pretenders. Its mountebanks, its merciless impostors. The nominal assessment system in vogue at the Copeland Institute is the invalid's protection from the wolf and the boodler in medicine. Five dollars a month, medicines included, for the most effective treatment known.

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THE COPOLAND TREATMENT.

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It is mild. It is soothing. It restores health. Its cost is trifling. It is praised by thousands. It is within the reach of all. It is taken for a month for \$5. Its cured chronic consumption. It is taken at home successfully. It drives catarrh from the system. It demands no high physical test. It is taken by rich and poor alike. It is both local and constitutional. It uses mild, antiseptic inhalations. It makes a radical and lasting cure. It stops insupportable aches and pains. It costs but \$5 a month, medicine free.

PATENT CURE - ALLS

Their Use Invariably Dangerous and Against Common Sense. When any person uses a patent cure—all as a means of self-doctoring for any particular disease, like grippe, catarrh, lung trouble, for instance—he assumes the risk of firing at random through his whole body to take the chances of hitting the diseased spot. He is

Simply Going It Blindfolded. He is taking medicine from an imaginary doctor who never saw him nor ever heard of him. He is driving at his heart when the disease is in his bowels, or driving at his lungs when the disease is in his liver. Whether he commits suicide or not, he commits a blunder and a folly, and goes against common sense at his own risk and his own expense.

It has been claimed that of expert medical services that has encouraged the sale of these patent cures. Under the nominal assessment system in force at the Copeland Institute, however, invalids are fully protected against the evil. With expert individual treatment in each individual case, at a fee rate limited to \$5 a month, all medicines included, there is no longer either temptation or necessity to tamper with secret nostrums.

It is the Great Cost. Doctor Copeland requests all who are ailing, all who feel a gradual weakening, or all who realize that their health is being undermined by some unknown complaint, to cut out this slip, mark the question that applies to your case, and he will diagnose your case for you.

"Is your nose stopped up?" "Do you sleep with mouth wide open?" "Is there pain in front of head?" "Is your throat dry or sore?" "Have you a bad taste in the morning?" "Do you cough?" "Do you cough worse at night?" "Is your tongue coated?" "Is your appetite falling?" "Is there pain after eating?" "Are you light-headed?" "When you get up suddenly are you dizzy?" "Do you have hot flashes?" "Do you have liver marks?" "Do your kidneys trouble you?" "Do you have pain in back or under shoulder-blades?" "Do you wake up tired and out of sorts?" "Are you losing flesh?" "Is your strength falling?"

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FARMER BOY ROBBED A BANK.

RANTOUL, Ill., Feb. 20.—The private banking institution of F. B. Venum, at Fisher, Champaign County, was robbed today of \$150. Arthur A. Byer, a farmer boy, 22, entered the bank and in a quiet tone said he wanted money, at the same time covering the clerks with a pistol. Cashier Venum handed out the money and the robber backed out of the door.

GOOD DIGESTION

Waits on appetite. Lack of appetite usually indicates weak digestion. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, taken before meals, will create a healthy desire for food, will strengthen the clogged bowels and stimulate the secretions of the stomach. It also purifies the blood, strengthens, invigorates the liver and kidneys. It is undoubtedly the most efficient medicine in the world for stomach troubles. A private revenue stamp covers the neck of the bottle.

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It can be cured by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla faithfully and persistently. We know this, because Hood's Sarsaparilla has done it. It will cure you if you give it a trial. You should begin to take it today.

Hip Disease—"I suffered from hip disease for five running sores; used crutches and each Winter I was confined to my bed for weeks at a time. Hood's Sarsaparilla has accomplished a perfect cure—saved my life. I have a good appetite and feel strong and well." Annie Roberts, 49 Fourth Street, Fall River, Mass.

In Her Eyes—"My little girl had scrofula and sores appeared in her eyes. A few bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla entirely cured her, and she has never had scrofula since." Mrs. Howard Pope, Alpha, Or.

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