



## AOKI GREET'S GIRL ONLY FOR MOMENT

### Father Joins Family at Tacoma Depot.

## PARTY HASTENS ON TO SEATTLE

### Archdeacon Trying to Arrange for Wedding.

## WOMEN RETIRE TO HOTEL

### Japanese Finds Lodging Elsewhere. Emery Greets Daughter Affectionately, but Shows Coldness Toward His Wife.

## WEDDING PLAN SETTLED.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 27.—(Special.)—The Emery party have decided definitely that the wedding of Miss Emery to Aoki shall take place in Canada, or on a boat en route between here and Victoria. This plan was settled upon early this morning.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 26.—(Special.)—Miss Helen Gladys Emery, the Japanese sweetheart, Gunjiro Aoki, were reunited today for a brief space, but there was no wedding.

Miss Emery, in charge of her mother, came here from Portland, arriving this afternoon. At Tacoma, Archdeacon Emery, the girl's father, joined them. Aoki also boarded the train there, and came to Seattle in the same car with them, but apart from them.

The Emery family is at the Savoy hotel in Seattle, with the exception of Aoki, who is staying at a downtown hotel that has no objections to Japanese.

## Try to Hide Their Identity.

At the Savoy, Archdeacon Emery is registered as A. J. Abbott, of Berkeley, and Mrs. Emery and Gladys are registered as Mrs. Wisconsin and daughter, of Oakland. This registration was a farce from the start, as a hungry band of reporters followed the party from the depot to their lodgings.

The Emerys, after leaving Portland this morning, took seats in the day coach of the Portland-Seattle train, and denied their identity to all reporters. Scarcely a station was passed that correspondents did not flock in, but a woman and daughter in the parlor car came in for more unpleasant questioning than did the two fleeing women.

## Emery Greets Wife Coldly.

Arriving at Tacoma they were met by Archdeacon Emery, who had mysteriously appeared in the North after being reported in retirement in Southern California. The Episcopal official kissed his daughter tenderly, but greeted his wife with pronounced coldness. He hurried them into the waiting-room, and immediately bought tickets for Seattle, passing in a few minutes through the gate and into the same car as formerly occupied.

When the party again entered the car it was seen that Aoki and a friend of the family whose name could not be learned, but who was of Spanish descent, was in the car. Aoki gave no sign of recognition of his fiancée or her mother or father. The two had seats some distance apart, and so continued to Seattle. Arriving there the loving pair were for the first time brought together in the waiting-room, but only for a moment was the Japanese allowed to press to the side of his loved one.

## Women Kept in Seclusion.

The Emery party at once took a carriage to the Savoy, and after registering retreated to rooms 103 and 104, where they stayed for the evening. All visitors were denied admittance.

Shortly after reaching their room, Archdeacon Emery went out and in a short walk visited a telegraph office, from which he wired a Tacoma friend that the entire party had arrived safely. He then asked a policeman at what time the Victoria boat left, and returned to the hotel, where he telephoned the immigration authorities and inquired as to what steps were necessary for a Japanese to leave the United States and return, and also as to the qualification necessary for admittance to British Columbia.

## May Marry on High Seas.

It was suggested to Mr. Emery, and not denied, that he planned to sail on one of the Canadian boats for British Columbia, and that the vessel reached neutral waters in the Straits of Juan de Fuca, and then have the captain of the ship perform the ceremony. This would do away with the license question.

On the trip up from Portland Mrs. Emery talked of the marriage of her daughter to Aoki and said:

## "Nobody's Business," Mother Says.

"It is not true that Mr. Aoki is an ignorant or low-class Japanese. He is the son of General Aoki, and has ample means for the support of his wife. It is his intention to return to Japan or go to Honolulu after the ceremony. All the fuss that has been made over this marriage, which is nobody's business but our own, has been made by low-class foreigners, dirty Italians and others, who before the San Francisco fire were the scum of the earth and were confined

## FOR AND AGAINST LIQUOR TRAFFIC

### DRINK QUESTION DEBATED AT GREAT CITY OF BEER.

### President Dickie and Mayor Rose Present Opposite Views of Prohibition.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 26.—Should the Nation be "dry" or have numerous saloons regulated in a "sane" manner? This question was threshed out tonight in a remarkable debate between Mayor David S. Rose, of Milwaukee, and Dr. Samuel Dickie, president of Albion College, Albion, Mich., on the question: "Resolved, That prohibition as applied to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating beverages is right."

Mr. Dickie defended the affirmative and Mayor Rose the negative. There was no decision and the question as to who had proved his case was left to the audience.

Mr. Dickie declared prohibition was right, even if viewed only from an economic standpoint.

"The saloon," he declared, "is the foe of capital, but pre-eminently the enemy of labor. It paralyzes the arm of the workingman, shortens his life, excludes him from many lucrative callings, decreases his power as a producer and throws into the labor market a vast mass of debased and unintelligent laborers who compete disastrously with the sober and industrious workmen."

Mr. Rose treated the subject from biblical, ethical and material standpoints. He declared that when the Ten Commandments were written no attempt was made to forbid prohibition, and he challenged anyone to find one word in the Bible advocating prohibition.

Treating the subject from the ethical side, he quoted the census and records of cities and states to prove that prohibition increased crime, insanity, deaths, pauperism and stagnated business. He took the criminal records of Milwaukee, a "wide open" town, and said the arrests per capita were less than in the prohibition states of Maine, Kansas and Georgia. He said there were more divorces in Kansas and Maine than in Wisconsin, a "wet" state, and that prohibition states have more paupers.

## TAFT IN PACIFYING ROLE

### Gets Warring Factions Together in White House Dinner.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—President Taft brought representatives of all the warring factions of the House together tonight at the first formal dinner he and Mrs. Taft have given at the White House.

The personnel of the guest list was something of a tribute to the President's capabilities as a diplomat and his ambition as a peacemaker. Representative Champ Clark, Democratic leader of the House; Representative Fitzgerald, of New York, the Democrat who broke away from his party in the notable fight on the rules; Representative A. P. Gardner, of Massachusetts, "insurgent" leader among the Republicans in the House, and Representatives Payne, of New York, and Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, were among the notable figures about the table.

Mrs. Taft's gown was of pale blue satin, with gold and pearl embroidery.

## EX-QUEEN IS HOPEFUL

### Lillooek Returns After Visit to Congress.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26.—Ex-Queen Lillooek, of Hawaii, who went to Washington recently in an attempt to expedite action by Congress on her claim for \$250,000 against the Government, which she desires as compensation for the loss of her crown lands, returned to her home today on the steamer Siberia. She was given a hearing at the National capital, and is hopeful that her visit has not been in vain.

## SOCIETY WOMAN HELD UP

### Robber Captured at Muzzle of Unloaded Revolver.

SAN JOSE, Cal., March 26.—Mrs. Hugh Center, a society and club woman, was held up at the corner of Fifth and Washington streets this afternoon and robbed of her purse, containing a watch and a small sum of money.

## FAILS TO PASS, RUNS AWAY

### Minneapolis Girl Caught at Oakland After Fleeing College.

OAKLAND, Cal., March 26.—Clara Benning, the 19-year-old girl who ran away from her home in Minneapolis last week because of her failure to pass a college examination, was taken into custody as she alighted from the Overland train here, and expresses her willingness to return home. Her father, a well-to-do merchant of Minneapolis, is on his way to this city.

## WESTON MAKES BUFFALO

### Covers Forty-four Miles on Roads Deep in Mud.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 26.—Making scarcely three miles an hour at the end of his day's journey, Edward Payne Weston, who is walking to San Francisco, plodded over the city line tonight at 11:30. The roads traversed were several inches in mud. Weston covered 44 miles today.

## LUMBER CAUSES MUCH CONTENTION

### Hot Words on Removal of Dingley Rate.

## FORDNEY IS FOR PROTECTION

### Loses Temper and Almost Provokes Byrd to Fight.

## DENIES ANY LUMBER TRUST

### Humphrey Pleads for Protection to Northwest—Democrats Score Payne Bill as Giving Aid to Republicans.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—The monotony of the tariff debate in the House was relieved for a time today by a clash between Fordney of Michigan and Byrd of Mississippi, which came near ending the lumber schedule when he was interrupted by the Mississippiian, who insisted that the lumber manufacturers, of whom Fordney was one, were in a trust. Fordney peremptorily denied the statement and said that Byrd "did not know a damned thing about it."

Byrd made a move toward Fordney and was in the act of removing his coat, when some of his Democratic colleagues interceded. It developed later that the incident grew out of a misunderstanding and both men made explanations and apologies.

## Protection for Rough Lumber.

Fordney in his speech pleaded for better protection in lumber in the rough. Opposed to him was Howland of Ohio, who wanted the product placed on the free list. Others who spoke were Pou of North Carolina and Macon of Arkansas, both of whom arraigned the Payne bill for not accomplishing what it was intended it would do, while Humphrey of Washington advocated a tariff on shingles and lumber high enough to enable the lumber and shingle manufacturers of his state to compete with those of British Columbia employing cheap Oriental labor.

## Humphrey for Lumber Duty.

Humphrey took issue with some statements made by Payne in his opening speech regarding the number of Orientals engaged in the lumber mills in British Columbia. Payne said that he thought there were fewer Orientals working in such mills there than in the State of Washington. The statement was erroneous, Humphrey said. He declared that over 50 per cent of the men engaged in the lumber and shingle mills of British Columbia were Orientals, were paid lower wages than American mill laborers, and that therefore the cost of production was less. Out of the 15,500 men employed in the

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## JAPAN BOYCOTTS AMERICAN GOODS

### USES PRETEXT OF "PURE-FOOD LAW" AS REASON.

### Police Go Through Dealers' Stocks and Confiscate Large Quantities—Others Untouched.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 26.—That a boycott of American goods under guise of enforcement of a "pure food law" has been started in Japan in the statement of a weekly newspaper published at Yokohama. The paper says:

"For some unexplainable reason, excepting that action has been taken under the 'food law,' Japanese officials, backed up by police officers, have been calling upon foreign and native grocers and confiscating their stocks of certain brands of goods. Strange to say, the goods confiscated have been American goods only, and the officials do not even look at the British, German and French goods. Another feature of these strange proceedings was that nearly all the articles confiscated bore the stamp of the American health board and each package was printed with all the names of the ingredients contained.

"The dealers inform us that they never knew there was such a thing as a Japanese 'pure food law.' The loss to the dealers is a serious one."

## EMMA EAMES IS FURIOUS

### Slaps Bellboy Who Shows Paper Telling of Divorce.

PITTSBURG, March 26.—(Special.)—Musical circles and Pittsburg society are talking much tonight over a display of temper on the part of Madame Emma Eames in the Hotel Schenley last evening. The singer is alleged to have injured Valley Morgan, a bellboy, slapping him and holding the doors shut on his fingers until they were badly pinched.

It appears that Mme. Eames called for a bellboy to bring her a Pittsburg morning paper, but the boy instead brought her an evening paper which was displaying the De Gogorza divorce case in which the name of Mme. Eames figures. Mme. Eames lost her temper entirely, and it is said she attacked and painfully hurt the boy before he could get out of the room.

## CANADA TO HELP BRITAIN

### Proposed to Build Dreadnought for Mother Country's Use.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 26.—The Canadian government will make an offer of naval assistance to Great Britain. Since the announcement of the British naval budget the sentiment among the Canadian Ministers is that the Dominion should build a Dreadnought or two and control their movements, probably using them in the training of a naval militia. These vessels will be at the disposal of the British naval authorities.

## MAROONED ON ICE-FLOE

### Passengers on Canadian Steamer Are Frozen In.

PICTOU, N. S., March 26.—Forty-four passengers were marooned in the ice in Cumberland Strait on board the steamer Minto since Tuesday.

U. S.—"IF I WASN'T SO DURR DIGNIFIED, I'D CERTAINLY WALLOP THAT FELLOW ONE."



## WIFE TIRES OF BEING AFFINITY

### Artist Earle Is Sued for Absolute Divorce.

## COMPLAINT CHARGES INSANITY

### Also Sets Forth He Had One Wife Already.

## WANTS TO KEEP HER BOY

### Original "Affinity" Asks to Be Given Maiden Name—Earle Said to Plan Contest—Returns Improved in Health.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., March 26.—(Special.)—Another chapter was added to the marital experiences of Ferdinand P. Earle, the artist, and his "affinity" wife, Julia Kutner Earle, today when at Earle's mansion, near Monroe, Sheriff A. L. Decker, of Orange County, served upon Earle a summons and complaint in an action by his wife to secure the annulment of her marriage.

The plaintiff in her complaint alleges that they were married March 17, 1908, at Venice, Italy, and that at the time of the marriage the defendant was a lunatic and incapable of contracting marriage, and that she still is a lunatic.

## Charges He Had Wife.

The plaintiff further alleges that at the time of the marriage, Earle had a former wife then living, Emilie Marie Fischbacher Earle, to whom the defendant was married at Paris in 1903, and that this marriage still is in full force and effective.

Her marriage to Earle, the bill alleges, was contracted without any knowledge on her part that such former marriage was in force, and she charges she was informed by Earle that he had been divorced from Emilie Marie Fischbacher Earle.

## Wants Custody of Child.

Mrs. Earle sets forth that one child, Edmund Erwin Earle, has been born of the union, and asks that she be awarded the custody of the boy. Mrs. Earle also asks leave to resume her maiden name.

Earle has just returned from a six months' trip in the West, and appears much improved in health. It was at one time reported he was taking private treatment in a sanitarium, and for some time past friends of the couple believed they had separated for good. At one time Earle was arrested for assaulting his wife and spent a short time in the Goshen jail. He was released on bail and the grand jury failed to indict him. It is believed that Earle will fight the annulment case.

## RUSSIA AVERTS BALKAN CONFLICT

### BUT WILL NEVER FORGIVE GERMANY FOR ACTION.

### Kaiser Accused of Inducing Austria to Threaten War and Humble Russia.

VIENNA, March 26.—Baron von Aehrenthal, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, is quoted as having said that Russia's recognition of the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina by Austro-Hungary is very satisfactory and that there is no idea of demanding a humiliating declaration from the Belgrade government.

Prices on the Bourse rose sharply today in the belief that Russia's approval of the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina paves the way for a peaceful solution.

There was much interest in a report that Russia and Austria were negotiating a general administration on all Balkan problems.

LONDON, March 27.—The Times, in an editorial this morning, contends that Germany by display of the mailed fist compelled Russia to recognize the annexation by Austria-Hungary of Bosnia and Herzegovina. It says that, when the Balkan difficulty was at the point of peaceful solution, Germany induced Austria to make tremendous war preparations with this object in view and that, though peace is insured temporarily, a proud Empire with the resources of Russia will never forgive the nation that forced her to depart from her traditional policy.

## WOMAN IS KILLED BY AUTO

### Falls Victim of Man Learning to Drive Machine in Seattle.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. Albert Thornton, of 2914 Second avenue, wife of the chief engineer of the steamship Rosalie, was run down and fatally injured by an automobile driven by Charles B. Niblock, a real estate dealer, of 110 Eighteenth avenue north, at First avenue and Madison street shortly after 8 o'clock to night. She died at 11 o'clock at the Pacific Hospital.

Niblock and his chauffeur, L. Ban Hayon, who was teaching him how to run the car at the time of the accident, were arrested. Albert Thornton, her husband, and Miss Lulu Cooper, her sister, were with Mrs. Thornton at the time of the accident. The car, according to the police secured, gave a sudden leap forward striking Mrs. Thornton before her husband could succeed in his attempt to drag her out of the way.

## FAIRBANKS IN CALIFORNIA

### Not Interested in Orange Grove and Will Not Remain.

PASADENA, Cal., March 26.—Ex-Vice-President Charles Warren Fairbanks arrived in Pasadena, accompanied by Mrs. Fairbanks, for a stay of several weeks. Mr. Fairbanks is in California merely for pleasure and declines to discuss politics in any way. The recent purchase of an orange grove in Southern California by his son was an enterprise with which he was not connected, and the ex-Vice-President said that he did not intend coming to this section to live, as had been reported. He expected to resume the practice of law in Indianapolis, he stated.

## ROOSEVELT LOVED HIS JOB

### Regretted Leaving Presidency, Says Senator Dewey.

NEW YORK, March 26.—Theodore Roosevelt regretted having to give up the Presidency, according to an address by Senator Dewey at a Republican club dinner tonight.

## SUICIDE WRITES OBITUARY

### Aquila Chase Kills Himself in Herald Square.

NEW YORK, March 26.—After preparing a long obituary notice and handing it in at the office of the Herald, Aquila Chase, a son of General Daniel Chase, and cousin of Salmon P. Chase, secretary of the Treasury under President Lincoln, stepped out into Herald Square to kill himself.

## TAFT IS NOT YET SURE

### May Make Trip to Coast If Congress Adjourns Early.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—President Taft has not abandoned entirely his proposed trip to the West this summer. He will finally determine the matter after he gets a definite idea as to the length of the extra session of Congress.

## TRAFFIC PACT IN OREGON PRESAGED

### Harriman and Hill Are in Negotiation.

## HOLD CONFERENCE TODAY

### Announcement Made Northwest Will Be Discussed.

## END TO TERMINAL DISPUTE

### Having Talked All Morning, Hill and Harriman Call Officials to Meet—Probable Effect of Impending Deal.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 26.—(Special.)—That the Harriman and Hill Railroad forces are getting together and that an agreement in regard to Oregon affairs is impending became apparent today. After E. H. Harriman and Lewis W. Hill, president of the Great Northern, had met at Paso Robles last night, they came on to San Francisco together today on Mr. Harriman's private train and were in conference most of the morning. After their arrival here this afternoon they were met by H. C. Nutt, general manager of the Northern Pacific; J. P. O'Brien, of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company and Southern Pacific of Oregon; E. E. Calvin, vice-president of the Southern Pacific, and William P. Harrin, and arranged in an informal talk, which occupied half an hour, for a conference to take place tomorrow between Mr. Hill, Mr. O'Brien, and Mr. Nutt for the purpose of discussing traffic affairs.

Byron simply stating that such a conference would take place tomorrow, the officials refused to give any information as to what the probable result of the conference would be, preferring not to make public any of their plans until after they have held their meeting.

The presence of Mr. Hill and Mr. Nutt implies clearly that the conference will relate to points where the Harriman and Hill lines come into competition in Oregon and Washington. There is still time to make a traffic arrangement in regard to business between Portland and Puget Sound for continuation of the Harriman extension northward from Portland. This has not progressed so far but that more money would be saved by abandoning some of the work already done than by completing the line. Joint use of the Northern Pacific between Portland and Seattle would require a double track the whole distance, it would also involve the pooling of the terminals in Portland, Seattle and Tacoma and the use of the same passenger and freight stations by both systems. It would mean interchange of traffic between the North Bank Road of the Hill system and the Harriman lines in Eastern Washington. Here the North Coast Road, control of which by the

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