

MEXICAN REBELS CAPTURE GENERAL

Navarro Held Prisoner by Revolutionists, Who Also Take Mountain Guns.

CONFUSE FEDERAL TROOPS

Indications Point to Situation in Northern Part of Mexico Being Much More Serious Than Diaz Government Admits.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—General Navarro has been captured by rebels and is now held a prisoner. This information, which reached here today, is contained in a letter from high authority at Chihuahua. He was captured at the last battle of Pedernales.

It is said that the rebels captured two mountain guns during the same battle. They looted them from their horses and dragged them away. It is said that during the six hours of fighting, the rebels charged the Government troops twice.

Troops Thrown Into Confusion.

The second time the Federal troops were thrown into confusion. It was on this occasion that Navarro and his cannons were captured.

The rebels now have the troops shut up in Pedernales, which is practically surrounded by pickets. Strong efforts are being made to prevent the Government from getting reinforcements through from Chihuahua. The government is rushing another regiment from Mexico City for Chihuahua tonight.

Indications all point to the situation in the Northern section being much more serious than the government admits. The government has ordered complete charge of the Chihuahua Pacific Railroad and has put its own men on the run trains, all American trainmen refusing to serve under the government.

Alarming Reports Denied.

An alarming report is in circulation that cartridges turned out at the government works in Mexico City are absolutely unreliable and that the government is not using them in the North.

It is said that the first cartridge party which was defeated at Pedernales was supplied with these cartridges, for which reason they were easily beaten.

MISS SMITH KNOWN HERE

Attorney Suspects Santa Rosa Woman Was Once His Employee.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—On account of the illness of Juror J. H. Oetjen, necessitating a continuance until Wednesday, Dr. W. P. Burke, on trial charged with having dynamited the home of La Rita Smith at the Burke Sanitarium, is allowed a much-desired "breathing-spell."

Judge Emmet Sealwell was also plainly annoyed when given an opportunity to rest for a day or two, and he granted the sick juror a day's additional time to recuperate.

Attorney L. B. Reeder, who formerly practiced law at Pendleton, is of the opinion that La Rita Smith is the same person who worked for him as a stenographer in 1906. He says she was about 25 years old at that time and that she was tall and light complexioned. The description given by Mr. Reeder corresponds with that of Miss Smith, of Santa Rosa.

NORTH COAST GETS RIGHTS

Yakima Council Grants Franchise After Long Debate.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—After five months' discussion the City Council tonight passed the North Coast franchise.

In its final form the franchise provides that the city shall pay damages resulting from construction of overhead or underground crossings, a point which has caused much of the wrangling. The common-user clause for Sixth avenue, another bone of contention, was omitted. A feature is provision for construction of crossings as far south as Yakima city, five miles south of the business center.

At the conclusion of the meeting eight of Way Agent Wood of the North Coast invited the council and newspaper men to dinner, and Councilmen who had previously refused the railroad's hospitality accepted.

KANSAS CITY MAN BUYS

A. B. Newton Will Raise Fancy Chickens Near Goldendale

GOLDENDALE, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—The Dick La Fover place, located three miles east of Goldendale, has been sold to R. E. Nichols. This place contains 100 acres and will be cleared at once.

Mr. Nichols sold 20 acres adjoining the Goldendale Heights Orchards Company tract to A. B. Newton, of Kansas City, for \$1500. Mr. Newton will plant 10 acres to apples and the balance will be put into chicken pens for the raising of fancy chickens.

GERMANS TO DO TRAINING

Military Instructors Will Be Given to Brazilian Army.

BERLIN, Dec. 19.—Twenty German army officers, headed by a major, will be selected from a number who have volunteered to go to Brazil and give military instructions to the Brazilian army. Home officers delegated will resign the commission they now hold at home.

Brazil requested the services of German officers as a result of popular discontent with the present training of its army and navy.

BRIDEGROOM OF DAY BACK

Stockton Man Only Called to San Francisco on Business.

STOCKTON, Cal., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Declaring that he had no intention

of deserting his wife and greatly surprised that the report had been circulated that he had disappeared, Frank D. Arnold, styled "the bridegroom of a day," arrived here today, having returned from San Francisco, for which city he left the day following his marriage to Miss Demy, of this city, on Friday last. Mrs. Arnold stated today that her husband had been unexpectedly called to the Bay City to straighten out some business matters that required his immediate attention.

Previous to his marriage, he deeded her \$75,000 worth of Denver property and gave Rev. John Stephens a check for \$10 for the marriage fee. The minister on presenting the paper to the bank was informed that the signer of the check did not have an account there, but this was soon explained by the fact that a draft for \$1800 had not arrived previous to the drawing of the check.

Mrs. Arnold says today everything has been straightened out to her entire satisfaction, but further than the fact her husband was in San Francisco, she refused to discuss the case, which is still creating no end of talk.

GREAT FRAUD ALLEGED

CHICAGO ATTORNEY ACCUSED OF SWINDLING IDAHO MEN.

Eugene Stewart Fights Requisition, While Denying He Got Over \$300,000 Dishonestly.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Charged with selling valuable Idaho land twice, and thereby fraudulently securing \$500,000 and \$400,000, Eugene Stewart, a prominent attorney of Chicago, has been arrested there and will be returned to Caldwell, Canyon County, this state, as soon as the legal battle over his extradition is fought out. Sheriff F. M. Breashears, of Canyon County, is now in the Windy City with honored requisition papers.

Declaring the charges false, Stewart gave notice of habeas corpus proceedings, hearing of which is set for the latter part of this month. Stewart is alleged to have operated quite extensively in Southwestern Idaho, particularly Canyon County. As counsel for John Young, a real estate dealer and relative, Stewart is charged with pooling lands which he later disposed of, living alleged title to two parties, after which he went to Chicago.

"As far as selling Idaho land is concerned," declared Stewart, "I have never sold a dollar's worth of Idaho land to anyone—not even once, let alone twice. I can figure out the date of the land litigation with which I am connected in Canyon County."

"The date of the alleged offense is named as December 15, 1906. That is about the time that I filed the first suit against several persons in Canyon County to compel them to transfer to me certain tracts of land that had been transferred by them to them for no consideration or for insufficient consideration."

"Mr. Young originally had 250 acres of land near Nampa, a town in Canyon County. He was defrauded out of most of it, according to our claims, and I brought suit on it. He signed a deed to Mook, president of the Bank of Nampa; P. Getter, S. Keal and the Bank of Nampa to compel the defendants named to reconvey the land to Mr. Young. I brought an injunction to restrain the defendants from transferring the land to any other persons."

"Mr. Young gave deeds to some of the land to myself and other relatives, but it was never sold twice."

PEACE SEEMS YET AFAR

ARBITERS IN GARMENT-WORKERS' STRIKE WITHDRAW.

Settlement Can Be Effected Now Only by Direct Meeting of Principals in Quarrel.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Hopes of mediation in the garment-workers' strike passed away today when the Chicago Association of Commerce and Hart, Schaffner & Marx, the clothing firm, announced that a settlement can be effected only by direct meeting of the strikers and manufacturers.

The clothing company informed Mayor Busse and the City Council strike committee it would ignore negotiations under way looking toward settlement, and in the future would deal only with its former employees, offering, however, to take back such strikers as reported for duty at once.

Mayor Busse refused to dissolve the peace court, which will be ready to offer its services at any time.

The inquiry committee of the Association of Commerce, after investigating the strike and seeking a settlement, withdrew its services today, saying the original cause of the strike was of minor importance and had been cleared up in the sympathetic labor war. Settlement without the aid of any third party was advised.

ONE BODY SHOULD RULE

Schliff Says Railroads Should Obey Interstate Commission Only.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—An outline of English methods of railway control was given today to the Railway Securities Commission by W. Acworth, a Parliamentary barrister and an authority on English railway affairs.

Mr. Acworth was followed by Jacob H. Schliff, of New York, who said that railway companies should be protected from conflicting orders from state and Federal Railroad Commissions.

"The Interstate Commerce Commission alone should be obeyed," he said. "We cannot serve two masters and prosper." He suggested to the Commission that stock be not issued under par. He added, however, that there should be no experimental legislation, but that the Commission should use discretion in its recommendations.

Thieving Bigamist Sentenced.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Harry B. Keeler, a dentist, who is under indictment for bigamy, was sentenced to four years and 11 months' imprisonment today for the larceny of \$11,216 from Mrs. Wilhelmina Lynch, one of his victims. Keeler pleaded guilty to the larceny charge several weeks ago.

Judge Bean Presides in South.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—A. J. Williams, alias J. E. Clayton, charged with embezzling funds of the patients of the United States Marine Hospital here, while he was in the employ of that institution, was placed on trial today before Judge Bean, of the United States District Court.

PRISONER'S EARLY LIFE HIS DEFENSE

Alienist Expert for Woman-Slayer Talks of Prenatal Influences.

DEFENDANT'S WORDS FEW

Denying He Went to See School Teacher Intent on Killing Her, Prisoner, Without Emotion, Says, 'No, I Loved the Girl.'

RITZVILLE, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Was Paddy Holland born to be a murderer? Were pre-natal influences such as to give him a brain destined to lose its balance? Was the tragedy of November 8, in which Miss Josephine Punnam, pretty school mistress, lost her life, forced-acted over 37 years ago?

These questions arose from the testimony of Dr. F. K. McDowell, of Spokane, which lasted over four and a half hours today, and besides being convinced that the defendant charged with murder is now hopelessly insane and was insane at the time of the tragedy, he believes that his insanity was caused by conditions previous to his birth.

As a basis for his belief Dr. McDowell gave the fact that the father of Paddy was a heavy drinker, especially at the time just previous to Paddy's birth, and that the alcoholism of the father was inherited by the son.

Man's Life Is Retraced.

The further fact was offered that just previous to the birth of the man facing the charge of murder, the father grew suspicious of the wife and caused her great worry and distress of mind, which had an influence on the boy. The witness traced the life of the defendant by the testimony in the case, from the time of his birth to school days, when the boy was dull and slow to learn, then to the time he joined "Coxey's army" and thereby showed his stability of character, his enlistment in the Army for service in the Philippines, and the later acts of his life in which he showed that he was losing his judgment.

All these stages showed to the mind of the witness a gradual degeneration of a mind which was never strong. The entire morning was given over to the preparation of the hypothetical question which will be given to all the expert witnesses and the reading of the question, this afternoon took 45 minutes. The objections to the question and amendments another half hour, and the examination on the question until 5 o'clock.

Dr. McDowell Chief Witness.

Dr. McDowell examined the defendant two weeks ago and again today, and stated that an almost unbelievable degree of degeneration has gone on in that time, although he pronounced the man demented at the time of the first examination.

The first words of the defendant concerning the affair were quoted during the trial, and from the condition of the witness now, it seems they will be the only ones during the trial.

"Paddy, did not you go there with the intention of killing the girl and then yourself," asked the doctor, illustrating in loud voice his manner. The room hushed to hear the answer.

"No, I loved the girl," was the answer, and the witness said there was no more betrayal of feeling or sign of excitement than in any of the other simple questions that had been asked. This is probably the only defense that will ever come from the lips of the man whose life is at stake, and these words, together with the assertion of accident and the shooting to prove insanity, attorneys W. W. Zeeb and J. M. Cannon are using in trying to save him from legal death.

Trip of Witness Costly.

Attorney Edward A. Davis conducted a vigorous cross-examination of Dr. McDowell. The Sidney Sloan murder case was brought into testimony in an attempt to show that a long examination had not been made in the case on trial to determine whether the defendant was shamming or not.

Scotty Henry, the witness for the defense who talked himself into jail on the witness stand on the charge of selling liquor without a license in the famous Ben Johnson roadhouse, pleaded guilty today and was fined \$5. He had \$22 due him in witness fees and the court made an exchange where he took the trip to testify in the case cost him \$2.

How I Made My Hair Grow

I was greatly troubled with dandruff and falling hair. I tried many advertised hair preparations and various prescriptions, but they all signally failed; many of them made my hair greasy so it was impossible to comb it or do it up properly. I think that many of the things I tried were positively injurious and from my own experience I cannot too strongly caution you against using preparations containing wood alcohol and other poisonous substances. I believe they injure the roots of the hair after my long list of failures. I finally found a simple prescription which I can unhesitatingly state is beyond doubt the most wonderful thing for the hair I have ever seen. Many of my friends have used it, and obtained wonderful effects therefrom. It not only is a powerful stimulant to the growth of the hair and for restoring gray hair to its natural color, but it is equally good for removing dandruff, giving the hair life and brilliancy, and for the purpose of keeping the scalp in first-class condition. It also makes the hair easier to comb and arrange in nice form. I have a friend who used it two months and since that time it has not only stopped the falling of his hair and wonderfully increased its growth, but it practically restored all of his hair to its natural color. You can obtain the ingredients for making this wonderful preparation from any druggist. The prescription is as follows:

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Be sure to insist that the drugist for all the enclosures in the Lavone de Composee package. One of them entitles you to a handsome free spritzer top for your hair tonic bottle and you are also entitled to receive the free advice of the druggist which mixes perfectly with the other ingredients. This, however, is not necessary.

Go to your druggist and ask for an eight ounce bottle containing six ounces of Bay Rum; also one-half drachm of Menthol Crystals, and a one-half ounce bottle of Lavone de Composee. Mix the ingredients yourself at your own home. Add the Menthol Crystals to the Bay Rum and then pour in the Lavone de Composee and add the To-Kalon Perfum. Stand one-half hour and it is ready for use.

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KNELL HEARD ON PHONE

EVERETT MAN'S FATE DEPENDS UPON TWO WOMEN.

Bride of Week, for Defense, States She Heard Shot While Talking to Husband.

EVERETT, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—With circumstantial evidence the main acts of the state and two women scheduled as the principal witnesses for the state and defense, the trial of Charles Kirk, charged with the murder of Charles Mendel, was called in the Superior Court today.

The state relies on the testimony of Nellie Cady, telephone girl, who says she saw the murdered man leave the Elk saloon, owned by Kirk, under a cloud of revolver smoke, while the defense will seek the evidence of Kirk's bride of a week, who says she heard the shot while she was talking to her husband over the telephone.

Against this testimony the telephone girl will testify that the conversation between Kirk and his bride took place before the time of the shooting.

So it will be largely a battle between the examination of jurors and when court adjourned about 6:30 o'clock this afternoon the state had exhausted three personal challenges of the six allowed. The defendant took an active part in the selection of jurors.

Kirk's bride sits beside him. In the examination of jurors it developed some of them were opposed to convicting on circumstantial evidence and several were outspoken in opposition to the death penalty.

Captain Gray Home From East.

PASCO, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Capt. W. B. Gray, who has returned home from attendance on the National Rivers and Harbors Congress in Washington, said today that much good had been done toward an "open Columbia," which he predicted for the near future.

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HOMECOMING IS CHILLY

BATHHOUSE MAN'S WIFE SENDS FOR POLICE.

P. C. Paulson, of Hoquiam, Says He Gambled When Drunk and Threatens Revenge.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Reappearing as unexpectedly as he disappeared suddenly two weeks ago, P. C. Paulson returned to Hoquiam and to the bathhouse of which he is the proprietor, last night, and after a stormy interview with his wife was locked up by the police at the request of Mrs. Paulson.

Mrs. Paulson on Saturday received a letter from her husband from San Francisco asking her to send him \$15 for fare home. When he departed Paulson left no money in the bank and cleaned out the cash till at the bathhouse, leaving his wife only 50 cents.

Paulson today declared that he would swear to warrants against several Hoquiam men charging gambling and buncoing him out of his money. Mrs. Paulson declared after her husband disappeared that she had learned he had been gambling.

After he disappeared a check which he had cashed at a saloon for \$100 was returned marked "no funds."

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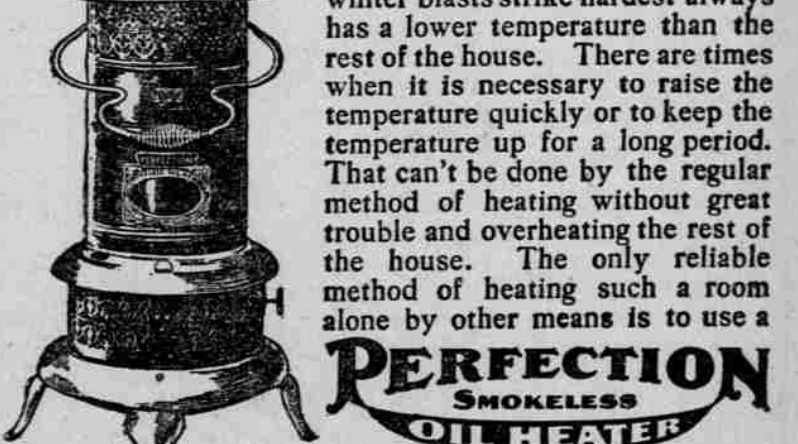
PACKARD PHAETON—A CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION

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Paulson said today he stopped payment on the check. Paulson asserts that he was either drunk or temporarily deranged when he left his home and business address.

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