

CHASE FOR ALLEGED BOND CROOK ENDED

Putative "Master Mind" of \$5,000,000 Plot Arrested.

WORLD-WIDE SEARCH MADE

Elusive "Nicky" Arnstein Released on \$75,000 Bail—New York Police Are Mocked.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Julius W. "Nicky" Arnstein, putative "master mind" of New York's \$5,000,000 bond plot, was arrested here today in the district attorney's office when he appeared there with his wife, Fannie Brice, the actress.

Arnstein told reporters he had been in Pittsburg all the time the plot has been looking for him. The elusive "Nicky" described to newspapermen an entrance into the city undetected.

According to his story, he arrived from Pittsburg at 9 o'clock this morning and went directly to Columbus avenue and Nineteenth street, where he was met by his wife in her automobile. They drove down Fifth avenue unrecognized.

"Nicky" ran into his police pursuers, thousands strong, forming for the annual New York police parade.

Hat Mockingly Lifted. Arnstein said that when the machine passed the grandstand erected for the police parade he arose from his seat and mockingly lifted his hat to the high officials of the New York police force. Fearing he would be recognized, Miss Brice pulled her husband down into his seat.

Bail for Arnstein was fixed at \$75,000. The indictment specifically charges him with criminally receiving \$25,000 worth of Crucible steel stock certificates which were stolen last October.

Arnstein was admitted to bail and released from the Tombs shortly after two o'clock. Everywhere he went he was cheered by those who recognized him.

Arnstein has been sought by the police of two continents as the alleged head of a gang of conspirators who, the police state, through dishonest Wall street messengers, have stolen between \$1,500,000 to \$5,000,000 in negotiable bonds and disappeared from New York last February.

Eight years ago he was arrested in London and extradited to New York through the efforts of William E. Shinn of Springfield, Mass., out of \$15,000 through worthless securities. He served less than a year of a year and a half in Sing Sing. He is 42 years old and the son of a New York business man.

Boys Get Small Share. According to the police, Arnstein and his associates put the securities up as collateral for loans in various cities. The boys and men who actually purloined the stocks and bonds thus disposed of relatively less than a quarter of their value, the police said.

Arnstein's name came into prominence in New York's \$5,000,000 bond plot shortly before he disappeared, the police records show. This was in connection with the arrest here of Joseph and Irving Gluck, Herbert and Rudolph Banora, all bank and brokerage messengers in the financial district, and Edward Buxey, a chauffeur.

The murder in Connecticut several months ago of Benjamin Binkowitz, a Wall-street messenger, is charged by the police to have been one of the outgrowths of the \$5,000,000 bond plot. Binkowitz having been alleged to have tried to hold out on the rest of the gang for more money before surrendering the securities he stole.

CONVENTION IS UNCERTAIN

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This. They have the widest variation in their binding quality.

Ohio Delegates Must Sign. In Ohio, for example, the delegate is required to sign a declaration saying, "I shall, to the best of my judgment and ability, support the presidential candidate who carries the state. That is one of the most binding of the statutes, and it doesn't bind very firmly."

In Illinois the statute says that the result of the presidential primary "shall be . . . considered as advisory."

The Montana primary statute requires the delegate "to the best of his judgment and ability to faithfully carry out the wishes of his political party as expressed by its voters" in the primary.

In Nebraska, by a court decision, the presidential primary is only a legally binding on delegates.

New Hampshire has the only really binding law. The delegates from that state are required to vote for the primary, "so long as he shall be a candidate before the convention."

The net of all these laws and the customs that have grown up around them is that "instructions" are a loose and variable quantity; and, in a tense fight on the convention floor, most undependable.

Criticism May Be Freed. I am not now saying what it is moral for a delegate to do under circumstances where he is free to do his own obligation and responsibility. I am merely explaining that, so far as the primary laws are concerned, he is bound in only a loose way.

It is true that a delegate is always responsible in a moral way to his constituency at home, and must be prepared to face their criticism. But in practice the fact is that these instructions count strongly only in cases where there are two, and only two, antagonists pitted against each other, as in the case of Roosevelt and Taft in 1912.

Under such circumstances a delegate would hesitate a long time before leaving one candidate to go directly to his opponent. But in a complex situation, like the coming convention, where there will be several candidates whose fortunes will begin to shift with the second ballot—under these circumstances individual delegates will be apt to interpret their several instructions with great elasticity.

Pledge Applies to First Ballot. Come now to the actual facts as they affect the fortunes of the various candidates. For example, Johnson carried the Michigan presidential primary by a large majority. The 20 delegates from Michigan are "instructed" to vote for Johnson. But as I have already said, these 20 delegates could, if they wished, satisfy the Michigan statute by voting for Johnson once and then going on the second ballot, either dividing their hearts carry them, either individually or as a group.

Now the fact about these Michigan delegates is that with just a few exceptions, they are not Johnson men. Probably five-sixths of them don't want Johnson to be president and do want somebody else. I have merely

taken Johnson and Michigan as one example. The same conditions apply in degree to all the other candidates and all the other states.)

I have given enough examples to show what a loose and undependable quantity these "instructions" delegates are. Practically speaking, as soon as the convention really gets under way, these "instructions" are almost negligible.

The candidate who wins in the convention will win through the votes of delegates who are in favor of him and who vote for him because of reasons other than their primary instructions.

About 80 Held Really Wood Men. The truth is, the number of delegates who are committed by their hearts as distinct from being instructed by the primaries is very small. Wood has 128 "instructed" delegates. Of the 126, I think it fair to say, from fairly extensive acquaintance, that not more than 50 are really "Wood men"; are, so to speak, "Wood or die" men; are Wood men in the sense in which, in the 1912 convention, delegates were "Roosevelt men" or "Taft men."

For example, the 16 Maryland delegates are "instructed" for Wood. But that does not necessarily mean that they will vote for Wood. The Maryland organization merely turned to Wood when their state was invaded by Johnson, as a device, a symbol to vote under.

And if Wood has 50, Johnson has not more than 50, and Lowden no more. All in all, certainly not over 200 delegates are thoroughly and finally committed to any one candidate so that they will continue balloting for him to the end.

800 Without Commitments. Practically 800 of the 984 delegates are without commitments, and will act in the convention according to their interests at the time, and according to the conditions as they arise.

It will be an open convention. It will be a convention which may nominate any one of the present leaders or, with equal readiness, may nominate a dark horse. It will be a convention in which almost anything may happen, from making a nomination on the first ballot to falling into a snarling deadlock lasting for days.

In the absence of any other convention weeks in a fluid state, a state which is in flux without being chaotic. The situation is not "any" and there are only faint signs of its beginning to "set." An occasional state leader comes to Washington to inquire how other state leaders feel, and finds that everybody else is in about the same uncertain mind as himself.

Here and there an occasional focus of concentration develops, the principal one being Senator Penrose. But I am confident that not anywhere yet is there any group of delegates as large as 275 who are of a common mind and who may be expected to act cohesively under a common leadership or, with equally planned beforehand.

There are no cohesive groups because there are no strong leaders for them to gather round. Penrose is perhaps the strongest, but for several reasons he has fallen far short of his old-time strength. Neither among the candidates nor among the leaders is there any strong man capable of magnetizing the fragments and summoning the scattered elements into order and sequence.

Game Warden to Be Fire Warden. NORTH BEND, Or., May 15.—(Special.)—J. M. Thomas, a resident and member of the city council, who has served as deputy state game warden of this district for a number of years, has resigned to accept a position as chief fire warden of the Coos Curry Fire Patrol association. Mr. Thomas will have in his employ about 20 men during the summer months. Charles W. Dilge of Portland has been appointed to succeed Mr. Thomas as game warden in this district.

Roseburg Veteran Weds. ROSEBURG, Or., May 15.—(Special.)—Delwin P. Jewett and Miss Clarice Hicks were married Thursday. Rev. Mr. Kealey of the Methodist Episcopal church officiating. The bridegroom was a member of the 69th artillery and since returning to the states and receiving his discharge has been employed by the railroad company. His bride is one of the leaders of the younger set of the city.

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\$26.85 is the remarkably low figure quoted for this sale. Graceful and distinctive garments in really the most accepted modes for fashionable street and sport wear—and easily the most attractive values shown this season. The materials are Polo Cloth, Gold tones, Velours, Jersey Cloth, etc., in the most popular colors. All are extra well tailored and silk lined—a model to suit every taste and sizes up to 42. Many of the Coats in this sale are half regular price at the above figure.

Time Now to Brighten Up the Windows

There Is An Opportunity to Do So at Little Cost, for We Have Underpriced the Following Lots:

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A sale that will assist you with your sewing by providing the opportunity to supply needed trimmings for women's and children's garments at exactly half price. Included are narrow Bands in plain, and mixed colors, silk and bead Medallions, Spangle and Bead Bands and Edges—also drops, tassels, girdles, rosebud trimmings, silk chenille fringes, etc. All to be closed out at HALF PRICE.

New Margot Laces—Attractively Priced. Fashion's leading lace for the new season. Here you will find an unsurpassed showing in Bands, Gallons, Edges and Flouncings in white and cream and in widths up to 40 inches. Your immediate inspection is invited.

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